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RADICAL MEASURES FOR THE NEXT LEGISLATURE

Believed Roosevelt Convention Will Outline New Policies

PUBLIC UTILITIES BILL

Gov. Tener's Progressive Measure Has Good Chance For Passage

After the first surprise and shock of the political landslide that struck Pennsylvania is over, people are beginning to realize and discuss the full import of the changes that this result has made imminent to the State Republican organization that has for so long a period dominated and controlled the politics of the State. For the first time in many years the United States Senators of the State and State organization will not control the coming State convention, which will elect a new State committee and State chairman, and as the convention will be controlled by Roosevelt delegates nominated and elected on a so-called progressive platform, the twelve delegates at large to be elected by the State convention will in all likelihood be free from the domination of the so-called State machine, as well as the State officials to be nominated at the State convention. The State platform adopted by the Roosevelt convention is expected to bristle with all sorts of progressive policies which will read rather strangely in a Pennsylvania Republican plaform. It is quite likely that Governor Tener's public utilities bill, with its teeth all in place and newly sharpened, which the Senate in the last session of the Legislature so ruthlessly slaughtered, will occupy a prominent place in the reforms demanded.

It is also more than likely that the initiative, referendum and recall—the real thing—will be another reform demanded. This is all the more probable, when it is remembered that former Senator Flinn of Allegheny county was the first agitator for this feature in Pennsylvania. Years ago, during his last days in the Senate, Senator Flinn introduced an initiative and referendum bill which was regarded by his colleagues in the nature of a comic opera stunt. Time, however, has made wonderous changes and the initiative, referendum and recall are undoubtedly nearer to achievement in Pennsylvania than was the direct primary law at the beginning of Governor Pennypacker's term.

Another measure that is likely to be introduced and fought for at the coming session of the Legislature, is a Senatorial preference primary law. This is a law where the people vote their preference for United States Senator, which furnishes a cue for Legislative action when it comes time for the election of a Senator. Although such a law is not binding on the Legislature, few such bodies risk voting in defiance of the expressed will of the people of the State. Several of the States have such a law and it is said to work well.

It is stated that the next Legislature will be the most independent body that has been elected in years, but it is hard to tell just what legislation can or cannot be enacted. It is possible that the forces may be so divided that it will be impossible to enact anything of importance and that the coming session may be barren of results.

To Meet in Charleroi

Independent Telephone Association Arranges July Convention

Arrangements were made by the Western Pennsylvania Independent Telephone Association at a meeting this week to hold the next quarterly meeting in Charleroi in July. The membership of the association numbers 80 or more, and consists of independent telephone operators of Western Pennsylvania companies. The Charleroi Telephone company holds membership in the society.

PROGRAM ARRANGED

Mock Commencement to be Feature of High School Reception

WILL GIVE DIPLOMAS

Among the features at the second annual High School reception to be held Friday evening at School Hall will be a mock commencement, in which High School pupils, members of the faculty and of the school board will participate. Graduates for this mock commencement will number eight.

Orations will be said, thesis read and in fact the entire program for a commencement will be carried out. Diplomas will be presented by W. D. Pollock, president of the School Board.

In addition the to mock commencement there will be a good program rendered. Songs will be sung by the High School chorus, and under the direction of Prof. I. T. Daniel, the High School orchestra will give renditions.

NOTED MINISTER TO SPEAK HERE FRIDAY

Rev. Geo. C. F. Bratenhal, cannon of St. Alban's cathedral, Washington, D. C., will speak at St. Mary's Episcopal church Friday evening at 8 p. m. Dr. Bratenhal is a very gifted clergyman and will speak on the subject of "The Church's Mission." Delegations from St. Paul's church, Monongahela, and Trinity Mission, Monessen, will be in attendance. A short service will precede the address. All are most cordially invited to hear this gifted clergyman.

Notice.

Notice is hereby given that my wife having left my bed and board without just cause or reason, I will not be responsible for any debts contracted for by her in my name.

D. E. Morgan,
Lock No. 4, Pa.
220-1tw-3tp

WORK STARTED ON NEW TROLLEY LINE

Monongahela People Interested in Movement to Get Route Constructed Through to the County Seat

Today a force of men began work on the Monongahela end of the construction of the proposed Monongahela, Ellsworth and Washington street railway company, a line which is planned to connect the river section of Washington county with the county seat and a line backed to a large extent by Monongahela capital.

The work started at Fourth street in Monongahela, and while those in charge refused to give out any information locally, it is reported that construction will be pushed with all possible speed, although the supposition in many quarters is that the work has been started to merely hold the franchise. Engineer James Bryan of Pittsburg, it is stated, has finished his surveys as far as Van Voorhis.

The officers of the company back of the proposed trolley road are Dr. Geo. H. Murphy of Monongahela, president; George Stevens, Monessen, vice president; Gerald O'Leary, Monongahela, secretary and treasurer. The directors are Dr. Murphy, J. C. Corrin, James Crall, Charles A. Bentley and Gerald O'Leary, all of Monongahela. The corporation will be controlled by Joseph Lytle, president of the First National bank of Monongahela; Dr. H. T. Billick of Monongahela and James P. Mulvihill of Pittsburg. The company on Wednesday filed bond with the city of Monongahela to have the road completed within two years.

The proposed route extends in Monongahela along Fourth street to Third street, to Hillman street, out and Ellsworth and on to Washington.

HIGHER COURT HEARS APPEAL

Suit Against Trolley Company by Monessen People Reaches Superior Court

CAR AND AUTO COLLIDE

Among the cases argued this week before the superior court at Pittsburg were three appeals of the Webster, Monessen, Belle Vernon and Fayette City Street Railway company defendants, in actions of trespass brought by J. H. Farquhar, who was awarded $1,437.57 for the death of his wife; Arthur Remy, who was awarded $678 for personal injuries, and H. N. Odbert, who was given $715 for personal injuries.

The parties plaintiff were riding in Odbert's automobile at East Charleroi November 22, 1908, when the machine was struck at the crossing there by a street car.

Dr. Farquhar's wife was killed and the others were painfully injured. The appeal was taken from a judgment in common pleas court Westmoreland county.

Baptist Team to Meet.

A meeting of the Baptist team of the Charleroi Church league will be held tonight at the store of Riggs & Stech. The purpose of the meeting will be to consider the matter of a team for the approaching season.

Saturday Night Dance.

Might Auditorium. Social dance 8 o'clock. Wheeler's. 218-tf

After Easter Opening at Spidell's Millinery Parlors on Thursday and Friday 403 McKean avenue. 218-t4

MARRIED IN CUMBERLAND

Charleroi Young Man and Monessen Young Woman Steal March on Friends

TO LIVE AT MONESSEN

Slipping away to Cumberland, Md., Wednesday, Henry Raymond Lowstutter, a well known young man of Charleroi and Miss Estelle Mary Brautegam of Monessen, were married. They will likely return the latter part of this week and for the present reside in Monessen.

Miss Brautegam had been home from Mt. de Sailles Heights Academy at Parkersburg, W. Va., to visit her parents for several days and Wednesday was leaving ostensibly to return to school. Instead she went to McKeesport where she was met by Mr. Lowstutter. They went to Cumberland and were wedded.

Both Mr. Lowstutter and his bride are popular among the young set. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lowstutter of Fallowfield avenue. He is employed at Monessen. His bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Brautegam of the Foster House, Monessen.

Entertains Fancy Work Club

Mrs. John O. Watson entertained the Home Workers' fancy work club at her home in North Charleroi Wednesday afternoon. The afternoon was spent pleasantly. About 15 were present. The home was decorated with greens and potted plants. Luncheon was served.

R. C. Mountsier and E. F. Krahmer are away on a trout fishing expedition in Center county.

MINERS IN PITTSBURG DISTRICT BACK AT WORK

Mines Along the Valley Start up Today in Part Capacity

CONVENTION AT AN END

Last Day's Session Featured by Turbulence Among Element Opposing Feehan

In accordance with agreements reached in an international referendum a large number of miners in this section went back to work this morning at various river mines, ending a suspension which had lasted since the first of April. Practically all the River Combine's mines began operation and the Jones and Laughlin mines and various other mines started up. Most of them are running only to the extent of about 60 per cent of their entire capacity.

Among the mines which started are the Crescent the Chamouni and the Vigilant, near California, of the River Combine and the Vesta No. 4 of the Jones and Laughlin company. The Catsburg mine of the River Coal combine at Monongahela is running, as well as the Tremont, of the same company near Belle Vernon.

Announcement was made of the settlement by President Francis Feehan before the Pittsburg district convention completed its work Wednesday. Eighty per cent of the miners who voted favored returning to work, he told the delegates.

The convention adjourned sine die, although the same element that raised some disturbance the day before protested. After President Feehan had adjourned the convention over 106 of the 170 or 180 delegates present reassembled the convention as "a meeting" and framed an appeal to International President John P. White to come at once and take charge of affairs in the Pittsburg district.

Some delegates declared their local unions will cease paying per capita tax to the district officials until some action is taken.

The protest against Feehan, sent to President White says:

President Feehan has repeatedly refused to preside over the convention in a fair and impartial manner; he has refused to obey the rules governing this convention; he has considered motions carried when it was evident they were not carried; he has refused to entertain motions when made in accordance with our rules; he has refused to entertain any appeals from his decisions; he adjourned the convention today against the protest of the majority vote of the delegates and before all the business of the convention has been transacted.

Some of the members of the committee were: William Hynes, Fayette City; Thomas Ray, Carnegie; Marshall Merraccini, Elizabeth, secretary and E. S. McCullough, Monongahela, chairman. William McKey of Grove City, retiring member of the district executive board, who was chairman of the meeting, signed it as did also Hamuel Pangbourne of Courtney, the secretary. The delegates adjourned to await word from the international officials.

An elegant array of millinery at Spidell's after Easter Opening on Thursday and Friday, 403 McKean avenue. 218-t4

Committees Are Named

President H. J. Booth of Church League Appoints Corps of Aides

President H. J. Booth of the Charleroi Church Baseball league has appointed his committee for the ensuing season. They are:

Rules—Dr. J. W. Manon, Fred Peiper, W. D. Pollock.

Grounds—Capt J. K. Hein, John Cornell, D. C. Whitlatch.

Schedule—John K. Rickey, Carl M. Wertz, Dr. G. H. Smith.

Finance—C. S. McKean, R. M. Oller, C. E. Cummings.

IS CASE OF SUICIDE

Coroner Heffran Finds Kosick Shot Gartley Then Himself

VICTIM IN HOSPITAL

That John Kosick shot himself, after seriously wounding William Gartley, the Clyde Coal company superintendent at Fredericktown April 5, has been determined by Coroner James T. Heffran, who held an inquest Tuesday. At first Coroner Heffran had not intended to hold on inquest into the case but friends of Kosick insisted that there was a possibility that some one else than Kosick had done the shooting which led to his death. This was disproved at the corner's inquest, when it was ascertained to a certainty that Kosick met death at his own hand. There was no evidence that Gartley or any one else than Kosick had done any shooting.

Superintendent Gartley is still in the hospital, though able to sit up.

HOLD EVANGELISTIC SERVICES THIS WEEK

Evangelistic meetings are being held at the Metropolitan Baptist church this week. Rev. Johnson, the pastor is conducting the services which thus far have been very successful. A choir of twelve, conducted by the pastor, with Mrs. Daisy Bush as his assistant, renders special gospel music each evening. There has been one candidate for baptism. The meetings will continue throughout the week, closing on Sunday afternoon.

Notice.

The Winter Club will hold its regular weekly dance in the Might auditorium tonight. Carnations will be given. Jenkins-Wheeler orchestra. Select. 220-t1

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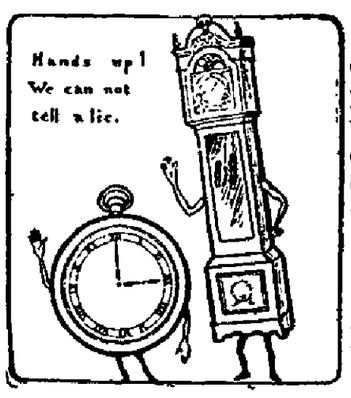

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April 18 In American History.

1775—Paul Revere's famous ride out of Boston to arouse the patriots.

1847—Battle of Cerro Gordo, Mexico. The Mexican forces, led by Santa Anna, were defeated by the United States army under General Winfield Scott.

1862—Federal bombardment of the Confederate forts at the mouth of the Mississippi river below New Orleans was begun by Commodore Farragut's warships.

1906—Earthquake at San Francisco and vicinity. Many buildings in the city reduced to ruins, which later took fire.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

(From noon today to noon tomorrow.) Sun sets 6:43, rises 5:15. Evening stars: Mars, Saturn. Morning stars: Venus, Jupiter, Mercury.

MUST PLAY FAIR.

No matter who controls the Republican State convention at Harrisburg, the action must be of such a nature as to play fair with the people. The changes involved by the election of delegates not in accord with the existing State organization cannot be used for political reprisals, neither can advantage of the situation be taken by other politicians to intrench themselves into power and advance their own politicial intrests. If the result of the election was a rebuke to the present organization as some people construe it, any attempt to take advantage of the situation for ulterior purposes cannot fail to meet with a speedy reversal of the verdict rendered at the primary election last Saturday.

Upon the action of the delegates at the State convention must depend the future welfare of the Republican party in the State. If the new element that has ridden into power at the last election is really progressive as it professes, it will promulgate and indorse policies for the welfare and interest of the whole people; if it devotes its power to trying to embarrass the present organization and in installing other politicians into power, its efforts will be worse than useless, and its power will be short lived. The convention must make good the ante-election declaration of the delegates who compose the majority.

ANOTHER ADVANTAGE.

In the proprosed extension of the Pittsburg & Charleroi trolley line from Roscoe to California the commercial advantage has been the chief element considered. The connection of California with Charleroi by cheap and rapid transportation is a decided advantage to both localities as well as to the intermediate points, but there is another advantage to both localities that is as far reaching as the commercial advantage. This is the increased educational facilities the condition would afford to the community.

By the extension of the line to California increased facilities will be afforded to students to attend the State Normal school there. As conditions now are many students ride up and down on the train from nearby points. The trolley line will afford more convenient and cheaper transportation, which would be an incentive for an increased attendance at the normal school from this community. This is alone ample and sufficient argument for the extension, even if there were no commercial advantages. The extension would be a decided acquisition to the prestige of the Monongahela valley.

ELECTRIC SPARKS

While a woman who talks an unusually lot about people cannot hope to become popular, she can at least get even.

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The man who was brought up at a hotel, whatever else his sins may be, never complains his wife's cooking is not up tothe standard of his mother's.

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Because a man talks day and night about his principles is no sign he has wonderful patriotism. Instead he probably has insomnia.

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According to the evidences, some smart children seem to spend their entire existence thinking up things for their father to go down town and repeat.

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When a man says "I'll show you" in a tone that sounds as though he means what he says, it is time to pay attention.

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We think how much better we could use money than the fellow who has it. Fortunately for our supreme belief in our self importance the other fellow has it.

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Even if women do get to vote, there should be a law made preventing fashion designers from making election costumes too expensive.

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Some men worry for fear they will meet the complacent individual who pounds them on the back and tells them not to worry.

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The Pirates are throwing their hat into the ring at home today.

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The fellow who always mentions first a project is always ready to blame someone else with its instigation, when objections are raised.

PICKED UP IN PASSING

"I'll never forget my first experience with icebergs," said a middle-aged traveling man at the railroad station Monday, when the subject of the disaster of the ocean liner Titanic was under discussion. "Years ago, when but a lad of 16, I shipped as a green hand on a fishing schooner at Halifax, where I was born and raised. Our voyage was along the Newfoundland Banks, in the iceberg zone. The first night I was on watch in the danger zone the captain cautioned me to keep a sharp lookout for icebergs ahead, and to give the alarm instantly at the first sight of one.

"The night was dark and somewhat hazy, but the stars shone brilliantly overhead. Along in the middle of the night I spied a large white mass ahead, which glistened and sparkled in the starlight. It was not a towering height, but seemed to be on a level with the surface of the ocean.

"Instantly I sang out, 'Iceberg ahead!'

"The captain, who always seemed to sleep with one eye open, was on deck in a jiffy, but while I was looking straight at the iceberg it all at once disappeared, and by the time the captain reached by side nothing was in sight. I was much chagrined, and afraid the captain would think I had been asleep. I began to explain that I certainly saw something white and glistening on the water, but the captain, cut me short and said:

" 'No harm done. What you say was only a school of mackerel. They often come to the surface in that manner, and disappear just as quickly.'

"I saw plenty of icebergs later, but I always remember how that school of mackerel looked that night in the starlight out in mid-ocean."

"The finding of an infant on the doorstep of a Fourth street residence a couple of weeks ago was the subject of much interest and speculation on the part of a wee maiden in that neighborhood.

"Oh, Mrs——," she exclaimed to a neighbor. "What do you think. The stork left a little baby on somebody's porch on Fourth street. "My papa says he's a lazy old stork if he can't go any farther than the porch."

SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of a writ of Fieri Facias, issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Washington County, and to me directed on which inquisition and exemption are waived, there will be exposed at public sale, at the Sheriff's Sales Room in the Court House of the Borough of Washington, Washington County, Pa., Saturday, the eleventh day of May, 1912, at 1:30 o'clock p. m., of said day the following described Real Estate, viz:

All the right, title and interest of the defendant in and to all that certain piece or parcel of land situate in the Borough of Speers, County of Washington, State of Pennsylvania, (also and including an oil tank erected thereon) bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a post on the easterly side of Speers Street, at the corner of Lot here described and land formerly owned by S. C. Speers, running North 31 degrees 05 minutes East 162 feet 5 in. to low water mark of the Monongahela river, thence by low water mark 50 feet 9 inches, thence South 34 degrees 05 minutes West, 167 feet 6 inches to Speers Street, thence by Speers Street North 55 degrees 05 minutes West 40 feet to the place of beginning. On which are erected a frame stable and oil tank. Being the same lot conveyed to the said F. E. Beazell, by deed dated October 26th, 1906, and recorded in deed book 347, page 412.

Taken in execution as the property of F. E. Beazell at the suit of Wm. Steel.

Robert G. Lutton,
Sheriff.

Sheriff's Office, Washington, Pa., April 18th, 1912. A-18-25-M-2

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All the right, title and interest of the defendants in and to all that certain parcel of land lying in the town of Charleroi, Washington County, State of Pennsylvania, and described as follows: Lot No. 398 Section "A" lying between Sixth and Seventh Streets, fronting on Shady avenue 50 feet and no inches more or less, and running back 100 feet and no inches to a twenty (20) feet wide alley. Being the same lot of ground which was conveyed to Raymond Moore by The Charleroi Land Company by deed dated September 23, 1902, and by deed of the said Raymond Moore, dated July 7th, 1909, to Alvin E. Young.

Taken in execution as the property of Alvin E. Young and Ivy M. Young with notice to Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Carroll, terre tenants, at the suit of Benjamin Williamson.

Robert G. Lutton,
Sheriff.

Sheriff's office, Washington, Pa., April 18th, 1912. A-18-25-M-2

Before Allowing an Operation

Please Read These Two Letters.

The following letter from Mrs. Orville Rock will prove how unwise it is for women to submit to the dangers of a surgical operation when it may be avoided by taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. **She was four weeks in the hospital and came home suffering worse than before.** Then after all that suffering Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound restored her health.

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Paw Paw, Mich.—"Two years ago I suffered very severely with a displacement—I could not be on my feet for a long time. My physician treated me for several months without much relief, and at last sent me to Ann Arbor for an operation. I was there four weeks and came home suffering worse than before. My mother advised me to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and I did. To-day I am well and strong and do all my own housework. I owe my health to Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and advise every woman who is afflicted with any female complaint to try it."—Mrs. Orville Rock, R. R. No. 5, Paw Paw, Mich.

"THERE NEVER WAS A WORSE CASE."

Rockport, Ind.—"There never was a worse case of women's ills than mine, and I cannot begin to tell you what I suffered. For over two years I was not able to do anything. I was in bed for a month and the doctor said nothing but an operation would cure me. My father suggested Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound; so to please him I took it, and I improved wonderfully, so I am able to travel, ride horseback, take long rides and never feel any ill effects from it. I can only ask other suffering women to give Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a trial before submitting to an operation."—Mrs. Margaret Meredith, R. F. D. No. 3, Rockport, Ind.

We will pay a handsome reward to any person who will prove to us that these letters are not genuine and truthful—or that either of these women were paid in any way for their testimonials, or that the original letter from each did not come to us entirely unsolicited.

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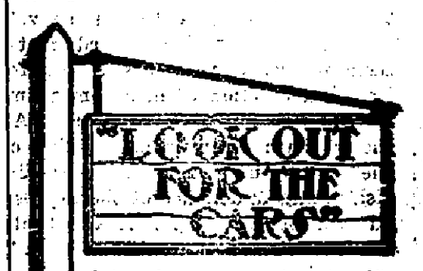

DO YOU know of anyone who is old enough to read, who has not seen that sign at a railroad crossing?

If everyone has seen it at some time or other, then why doesn't the railroad let the sign rot away? Why does the railroad company continue to keep these signs at every crossing?

Maybe you think, Mr. Merchant, "Most everybody knows my store, I don't have to advertise."

Your store and your goods need more advertising than the railroads need do to warn people to "Look Out for the Cars."

Nothing is ever completed in the advertising world.

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Our entire stock formerly sold for 12½c going now at 10c

Our figured dimities former price 15c going now at..... 12c

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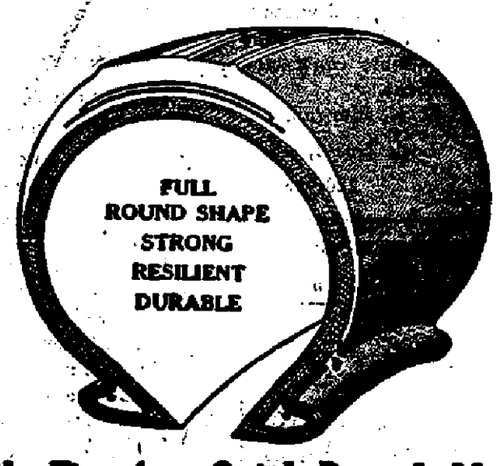

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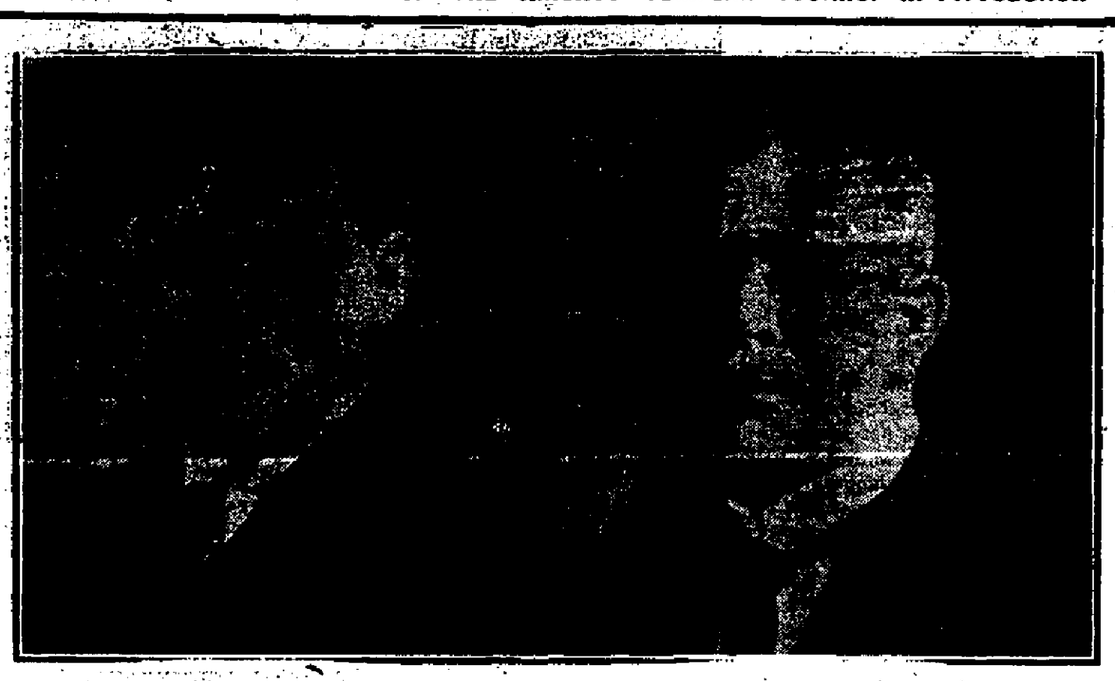

FRED C. SCHATZ,
Chairman Entertainment Committee.

BENJAMIN N. McLAIN,
Chairman Decorating Committee.

MOST BRILLIANT MASONIC SOCIAL FUNCTION IN YEARS

Scheduled For Exposition Hall, Wednesday, April 24

THOUSANDS WILL BE PRESENT

Band and Big Orchestra Will Alternate Playing the Dances; Midnight Banquet to Be Served on Roomy Balcony—Special Car Service After the Reception.

By Joseph N. Mackrell.

Pittsburgh, April 17.—There is nothing in the history of Masonic social events in which Pittsburgh has had a part that will even compare with the Knights Templar tournoi to be held in Exposition hall on Wednesday evening, April 24. The care and attention that has been given this affair by the various committee chairmen and subchairmen and committeemen is indicative of what the results will be.

One of the biggest problems in connection with such events, especially when such great crowds are expected from the suburban sections of Allegheny county and from Washington, Westmoreland, Butler, Fayette, Lawrence, Beaver and from eastern Ohio, is to see that the sir knights and their ladies get home as quickly as possible. In that connection the announcment is made that already arrangements have been made for special train and street car service out of Pittsburgh immediately after 2 o'clock on Thursday morning and if from any of the surrounding towns the demand for tournoi tickets becomes great enough the committee will arrange transportation to and from such towns at the expense of the committee. That announcement is made as strong as is possible and is called to the attention of the sir knights in the counties surrounding Pittsburgh.

Henry L. Dixon is the division commander of the sir knights of western Pennsylvania and he has full charge of the tournoi and the big state conclave which will be held here on May 27, 28 and 29. But at this time all eyes are on the tournoi, every energy is being bent in that direction and the reports bespeak glowing results to follow.

This reception will open the Masonic "season" in western Pennsylvania and it will be followed by great activity in connection with the conclave and the many arrangements that are being made in connection with it. The success of the tournoi, which now seems assured, will have much to do with the great results that are expected from the conclave and from the indications the sir knights will turn out in great numbers next week.

Fred C. Schatz of Ascalon commandery is chairman of the entertainment committee and his committee has been divided among various subchairmen who are working like beavers. In connection with the tournoi this is a most important committee. It works along lines all its own and still must keep in touch with what the other committees are doing.

Benjamin N. McLain, chairman of the decorating committee, and Charles McFall, the vice chairman, are both pastmasters in the art of arranging the decorations for a knights templar gathering. Both have had a great deal of experience in the work and they promise that the tournoi decorations will be the most elaborate, attractive and pleasing of any Masonic gathering held in Pittsburgh. Particularly from an electrical standpoint the men have worked and out of their labors have come some very unique and novel electrical effects.

One of the very big undertakings in connection with an affair of the magnitude of the tournoi is serving the midnight supper in a manner that will be pleasing to the sir knights and also to the committee. To enjoy any repast the partaker must not be crowded, hurried or jostled and in addition should have as pleasant surroundings as possible. Mr. Schatz has given much of his time to this problem and says he has it solved. From the eastern end of the hall the immense sweeping stairway will be used as the entrance to the balcony. Around the balcony rail will be arranged tables with plenty of room for the diners. Four separate crews of waiters will look after the tables—that is, the balcony will be divided into four parts each with its own source of food supply and its waiter captain. After the diner has finished he can leave the balcony and return to the dance floor by the side exits from the balcony and in that way the stairways in the different parts of the big auditorium will each have their separate uses. There will positively be no crowding and there will be enough for all. Nothing has been left undone—there will be physicians in attendance, the transportation facilities were never better for any occasion of the magnitude of this one and all that remains is for the night to roll around and the orchestra and band to start playing. The rest is all arranged.

TO THE PUBLIC

Owing to the fact that the Courts of Washington County have not renewed our selling privileges for the coming year, we are compelled between now and the 30th day of April to dispose of a very large stock of High Grade Liquors, Table Wines, Brandies, Champagnes aud Cordials, both imported and domestic, and in order to have them move rapidly or to dispose of as many as possible during the short length of time, we offer them at the following remarkable prices. And for your convenience we quote the selling price today, also our former price.

Imported Port Wine sold at $1.25,	Now	$. 80
Imported Sherry sold at....1.25	Now	.80
Imported White Rhine sold at. 1.00	Now	.70
Imported Medoc Claret sold at..1.00	Now	.70
Imported Marsala sold at....1.00	Now	.60
Imported Chinata "Sour"..... .75	Now	.50
Domestic Dr. Kugels Black Berry 1.00	Now	.60
Domestic Household Black Berry 1.25	Now	.80
Domestic California Marsala..1.00	Now	.60
Domestic Hock Wine..... .65	Now	.35
Domestic Claret ..... .65	Now	.35
Horke Vino (Bitter Wine) 1.00	Now	.60
Imported Champagne Cognac Brandy 17 years old 2.00	Now	1.45
Imported Dulac Co. Cognac....1.75	Now	1.25
Imported Paul Gordet Brandy..1.75	Now	1.25
Imported Lucien Focould..... 1.65	Now	1.15
Domestic Jules Lerioux Cognac..1.25	Now	.75
Domestic Jules Martin.....1.25	Now	.75
Domestic Dupont 1.25	Now	.75
Imported Gordon Gin.....1.35	Now	1.00
Imported Original John DeKuyper Gin 2.00	Now	1.45
Imported Booths Tom Gin.....1.35	Now	1.00
Imported Fields Sloc Gin.....1.75	Now	1.20
Domestic Anchor Sloc Gin.....1.00	Now	.60
Domestic Woods Old Tom.....1.00	Now	.60
Domestic Burkes Old Tom.....1.00	Now	.60
Domestic Holland Process "Large Black Bottles"...1.75	Now	1.15
Imported Vermouth 1.25	Now	.75
Domestic Prime Quality Vermouth 1.00	Now	.55
Domestic Superior Quality.....1.00	Now	.65
Imported Guilka Kummel.....1.75	Now	1.15
Imported Manigold Kummel...1.75	Now	1.15
Domestic Gertriede Nordhauser Kummel 1.00	Now	.75
Domestic Double Distilled Kummel 1.00	Now	.60
Domestic Manhattan Cocktail "Club Brand".....1.50	Now	1.00
Domestic Martini Cocktail "Club Brand" 1.50	Now	1.00
Imported Rum (Rum Negrita) 1.75	Now	1.10
Imparted Fernet Branco.....1.50	Now	1.35
Imported Fernet Torino "Direct Importation 1.25	Now	.90
Imported Amora Felsina.....1.75	Now	1.25
Imported Ferro China "Besleri".1.50	Now	1.35
Imported Benedictine 3.00	Now	2.25
Imported Creme De Menthe ...1.75	Now	1.25
Imported Absinthe 2.00	Now	1.35
Domestic Fernet Acqila.....1.00	Now	.65
Domestic Ferro China Acquila. 1.00	Now	.65
Domestic Mescolanza 1.00	Now	.75
Domestic Rosolio 1.00	Now	.75
Domestic Amora Felisno..... 1.00	Now	.75
Domestic Creme De Menthe... 1.00	Now	.65
Domestic Rock & Rye..... 1.00	Now	.65
Domestic Orange Bitters..... 1.00	Now	.70
Domestic Cherry and Pepsin.. 1.00	Now	.70
Domestic Jamaica Ginger..... 1.00	Now	.65
Domestic Lemon, Rum & Honey 1.00	Now	.65
Domestic Fig Cordial 1.00	Now	.65
Domestic Pine Apple, Honey & Gin 1.00	Now	.65
Domestic Coldburg Bitters.... 1.00	Now	.65
Domestic Absinthe 1.50	Now	1.00
Domestic Boonekamp Bitters... 1.25	Now	.75
Domestic Imperial Malt Whiskey 1.00	Now	.65
Imported Irish Whiskey's1234566		
Imported Burkes' Irish Whiskeys. 1.75, now		$1.15
Bush Mills		
Corbetts		
Imported Scotch Whiskeys.....1.75	Now	1.15
Calendonia		
Black and White		
John Dewar		
Sanderson's Mountain Dew		
Rhoderic Dhu		
Three Feathers		
Scottish Crown		
Wm. Austin		
King William Scotch		
Imported Whiskey 2.25	Now	1.65
Imported Canadian Club 1.50	Now	1.15
Imported Bass Ale pints Regular Price		$2.40
Now $1.95 per Doz.		
Imported Bass Ale Nips, regular price		$1.40
Now $1.20 per Doz.		
Imported Guiness Stout pints, regular price		$2.40
Now $1.95 per Doz.		
Imported Guiness Stout Nips, regular price		$1.40
Now $1.20 per Doz.		
Champagne $1.25	Now	.65
Gold Top		
Great Western		
Gilt Edge		
Great Eastern		
Sparkling Burgundy		
Sparkling Mozelle		
Imported Sparkling pts. Barbero.1.75	Now	1.00
Imported Boquet Fils pts.....2.00	Now	1.50
Imported Sparkling Barbero qts..3.50	Now	2.75
Bohemian Malt Extract per doz. $1.75	Now	1.50
California Port, Sherry, Tokay, Black Berry ..... .75	Now	.35
Ohio and New York Claret .... .75	Now	.35

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Farmers' Sons in University.

Some interesting facts, relating to the occupations of parents of students in the university, are disclosed in the annual report of President Thompson, of Ohio State university, to the governor. In point of numbers the children of farmers lead with 567 enrolled. Second in the list are the merchants, with 158. Then come officers of private corporations and salesmen, with one hundred each. Following these are represented many other occupations.

Something Lacking.

"I don't like my new gown very well," said the young lady. "The material is awfully pretty, and the style is all right, but it needs something to improve the shape of it." "Why," suggested her dearest friend, "don't you let some other girl wear it?"

What Chance Has He?

Johnny—"Grandpa, do lions go to heaven?" Grandpa—"No, Johnny." Johnny—"Well, do ministers?" Grandpa—"Why, of course. Why do you ask?" Johnny—"Well, suppose a lion eats a minister?"—Life.

Cheap Mode of Living.

With no rent to pay, no street car fares or other of the usual unavoidable city expenses to meet, the barge and canal boat men of the Netherlands live possibly the most frugal lives of any of the urban working classes in Europe. They, with their families, exist in the hulls of their craft. The rooms are small, with little ventilation, and necessarily low to enable the boats to pass under the bridges. The decks form the children's playground. Chickens are sometimes kept on the boat and consume the garbage.

Famous English Parish.

In addition to its alien population, bygone Stepney was credited with a large number of the citizens of other towns on account of the current notion that all children born at sea belonged to the parish of Stepney, a notion probably due to the large number of sailors who lived there. Paupers who had been born at sea were gravely sent to Stepney from all parts of the country, and from time to time the law courts had to be called upon to decide against their claims.—London Chronicle.

Black Orpingtons

Winners at Pittsburg, McKeesport and wherever shown.

They Weigh Lay, and Pay

Eggs $1.50 and $3.00 per 15

R. S. STEWART

Call Evenings. 113 Lookout Ave.

Puts End to Bad Habit.

Things never look bright to one with "the blues." Ten to one the trouble is a sluggish liver, filling the system with bilious poison, that Dr. King's New Life Pills would expel. Try them. Let the joy of better feelings end "the blues." Best for stomach, liver and kidneys. 25c. Sold by W. F. Hennings.

COLONIAL MINSTRELS

THE ONE BIG HIT of the SEASON

Fun, Fun, from the time the curtain goes up until three days after. Your sides will ache for a week with such violent exercise

Two Big Nights

Monday and Tuesday, April 22 and 23

Turn Verin Theatre

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Protected Home Circle 303

P. H. C.

Seats reserved at 9 o'clock, Monday at Turner Hall for Monday night Show, and Tuesday at 9 o'clock for Tuesday night show.

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Every School Girl

In Charleroi and vicinity should wear our Hats, Coats and Dresses. They lend a distinction that no well dressed girl can over-look, and now that commencement is drawing so near, every girl wants to look her best.

We can fit the largest girls out in coats, suits, dresses and waists; the smaller ones in coats and dresses

For the misses these rainy days demand Rain Coats; for the children Rain Capes. This demand is not only from the standpoint of health, but from an economical view as well. Bring the girls in and buy what they need.

Coats for Misses, . . .	$6.75 to $20.00
Coats, 6 to 14 years . . .	2.50 to 6.75
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Dresses, 6 to 14 years .	1.00 to 5.50
Rain Coats, Misses . . .	4.00 to 10.00
Rain Capes, 6 to 14 years	2.75

Collars, Jabots and all the latest in Neckwear---necessities for the school girls---in our Notion Department.

We Give "S. H." Stamps **BERRYMAN'S** Charleroi's Live Store We Give "S. H." Stamps

SWEEPING REDUCTIONS

On Spring Footwear

Oxfords, Shoes, Pumps for the Family

Choice of Styles, All Leathers and All Sizes at 'Way Down Prices

Ladies' Tan

Satin, velvet, patent colt and dull finish Button Shoes, all sizes, short vamps, high heels, very classy. Easter footwear up to $6, special at

$3.45 and $2.90

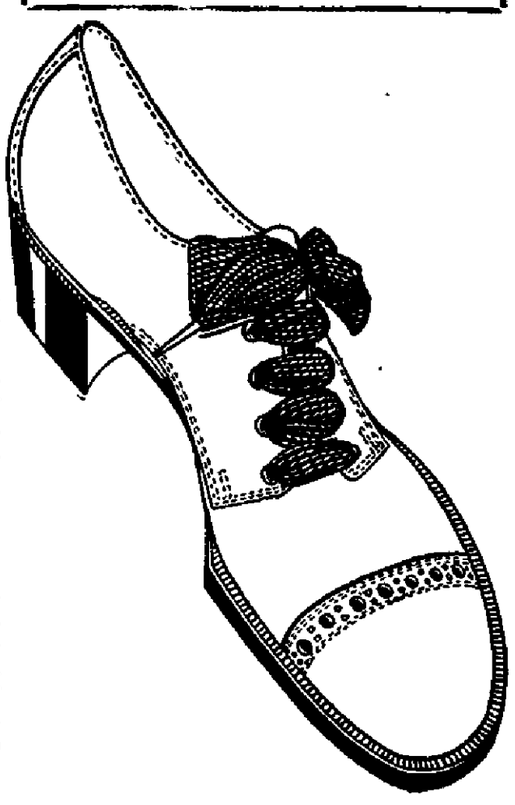
ADOLPH

Of Course

Men's Swell Oxfords

In ten, patent colt and gun metal, button or blucher—winning styles, high heels and high toes .Here is a great combination of style and quality, $4 grades, special **$2.69**

Special-Ladies white buckskin shoes, worth $4, our special.. **$2.69**



Girls' Velvet Shoes

With Straps, also made in patent colt. A great value at 1-2 price, $1.39. **Girls Dress Button Shoes** in Patent Colt and Gun Metal, also white Cravenettes. Sizes up to 2, worth $2.50, at $1.65.

Two-Strap Pumps.

Pumps and Oxfords, Velvet or patent colt, two strap or blucher. All this season's new lasts. Snaps from $3 lines large assortment at $1.39.

White Cravenette Shoes

Just the thing for Easter Sunday and early Spring, Short vamps, high heels, tipped or plain toes. Medium heels for elderly ladies. All sizes, $4 and $5 values. Special at $3.90 and $2.95.

Pumps & Oxfords

Button or blucher, with and without straps, leather or covered heelss, in Tan, Satin, Velvet, Suade, Patent Colt and Gun Metal. Largest assortment in town, snappy new stuff your choice from $3.50, $4 and $5 values, $3.90, $2.90 and $2.45.

Velvet Shoes.

Very popular and dressy short vamps and high heels, $3 grades, prices specially $1.95.

Men's Tan Shoes.

Button and blucher, high toes and heels some with fancy tops. Velvet or Corduroy. Strictly bench made and Hand sewed—Other stores ask $5, for sale at $2.90.

Men's Dress Shoes.

Tan, Patent Colt and Gun Metal and Button and Blucher—High or Medium heels—500 pair, comprising all sizes $3 and $4 values at $2.25.

Men's $2.50 & $3 Shoes at $1.59.

Black and tan, not all sizes in each kind, but all sizes in the lot. Just about their actual value at $1.95

Men's Sample Oxfords

650 pairs of them, Tan, Patent Colts and dull calf, button and blucher. $3.00 and $3.50 grades at $1.95

SUGGESTS WAY TO GET FUNDS

"Joe" Mason Thinks it Would be Wise Idea to Sell Baseball Ssason Ticket

To the Editor of the Charleroi Mail:

Sir—It was good news to note in your columns that the Charleroi Church League has been reorganized, and it will surely prove a more intensive success than ever before. Last season the League was put to considerable expense for the improvements on the grounds. To my idea it would prove an excellent business—move to start right in by selling church league season tickets—say at $3.00 apiece (as few people can attend more than 30 games) and the money thus collected will prove a substantial working fund for the season. This is only a suggestion and of course President Booth and the officials of the League may have a different plan. However, if the season ticket idea is adopted I hope to be among the first to forward a check to Treasurer C. S. McKean for this worthy cause.

Very Sincerely Yours,
"Joe" Mason.

ENTERTAIN FOR THE L. C. B. A

Twelve Members of Organization Arrange Affair for Other Members

Twelve charter members, with Mrs. Henry Wagner as chairman, entertained the members of Branch No. 782, Ladies Catholic Benovolent Association Wednesday evening in their meeting hall. The event was in honor of the tenth anniversary of the institution of the branch. A large number of members were in attendance. The colors of the order, yellow and white predominated in the decorations. Progressive euchre was played. Favors corresponding with the event were awarded to Mrs. Edward Reardon, Mrs. Arthur Moyard, Mrs. Albert Ludwig, Mrs. William McBride, Mrs. John Mosseau, Mrs. D. Shields, Mrs. James Jackson, Mrs. John Kuth, Mrs. J. Connelly, Mrs. Frank Kubina, Mrs. S. Rock and Mrs. P. Cavenaugh. Delicious refreshments were served.

CHARLEROI GIRL BECOMES BRIDE OF MONESSEN MAN

The marrineg of Miss Julia Welsh daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Welsh of McKean avenue to Peter Kifer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Mat Kiefer of the Park Hotel, Monessen, took place this morning in St. Jerome's church with a nupital high mass. The double ring service was used. Rev. W. D. Fries performed the ceremony. The bride wore a gown of white messaline satin with fringe trimmings, and carried a beautiful bouquet of lilies tied with satin ribbon. She was attended by Miss Mamie Kifer and John Welsh acted as best man. Miss Kifer was attired in cream voile and carried yellow roses. After the ceremony a wedding breakfast was served at the home of the bride and at 2:30 a bountiful dinner was served at the Park Hotel at Monessen. The wedding was a quet one owing to the illness of the bride's father

Mr. Kifer is employed by the American Express company and holds a responsible position. The couple have a large circle of friends who wish them much happiness on their new journey through life. Mr and Mrs. Kifer will stay at the Park Hotel, Monessen. Quite a number of out of town guests, among whom were Mrs. John Cooper from Pittsburg, Mrs. Harry Welsh from Virginia, Mrs. John Welsh from Fayette City were preesnt.

LIGHTNING SLICES CORNER OFF POST OFFICE; NONE HURT

Slicing a corner off the building and sending bricks and mortar flying in every direction lightning struck the postoffice building at California Wednesday night at about 8:30 o'clock. At the time there were a few persons in the postoffice. They were not shocked. The damage is slight.

Julian Eltinge, the most famous impersonator of women.

Notice how small the Red Cross Shoe makes his foot appear.

This man wears the Red Cross Shoe a woman's shoe, and finds it wonderfully comfortable and easy. Read his reasons.

DEAR SIRS:—

"The Red Cross shoe is the only shoe in the market which entirely fills the bill. I was first charmed by the variety of styles, which covers every possible desire of the wearer. The all-important reason is the fact that I can wear a much smaller shoe in the Red Cross than in any other, which is particularly essential in my case.

"I find the Red Cross shoe perfectly comfortable, wearing even a smaller shoe than one my size would naturally wear. The perfect flexibility of the sole, which so truly bends with your foot, ends all stiff-soled shoes which at every step cause the foot to rub against the sole, until it burns and throbs to an unbearable degree."

Yours very truly,
JULIAN ELTINGE.

You will be just as enthusiastic. Come in and let us show you the latest models in the Red Cross Shoe.
Oxfords $3.50 and $4. High Shoes $4, $4.50 and $5.

Trade Mark

J. J. BEERENS
513 Fallowfield Avenue, Charleroi

LOCAL MENTION

Mrs. A. F. Bray left today for Detroit, Mich.

Mrs. E. F. Krahmer has left for Washington, D. C.

Attend Spidell's after Easter Opening on Thursday and Friday 403 McKean avenue. 218-t4

Miss Isabel Wilson, after a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Wilson of McKean avenue, has returned to school at Beatty.

Timothy Gateley has left for England, where he will visit friends for some weeks.

W. I. Higgins has moved from 109 Fallowfield avenue to 917 Shady avenue, where he will remain for the next few days.

Mrs. J. L. Shannon and her son Arthur are both at the McKeesport hospital suffering from appendicitis. Operations were performed and they are getting along nicely.

AUCTION LOT SALE.

Bellemore Plan, in North Belle Vernon Will be Sold April 26 and 27.

The Valley Land and Improvement company's Bellemore plan of lots, in North Belle Vernon, will be sold at auction, Friday and Saturday, April 26 and 27, commencing at 1:30 p. m. each day. One hundred beautiful home sites will be sold to the highest bidders, on easy terms of payment.

Bellemore is an ideal home spot and the most inviting residential section available about Belle Vernon. It is one square from the trolley line, with 5c fare to Monessen; on paved street; has gas, water, electric light, telephone service, sewers, etc.

Bellemore is the house-renter's and home-seekers' opportunity for deliverance, and the shrewd investor's chance to multiply his dollars. It is up where the air is pure and free from the offensive factory smoke and the unhealthy mists and fogs of the river valley. Surrounded by beautiful homes owned and occupied by respected people.

There will be brass band concerts both afternoons and ladies will be given silver souvenir spoons at 1:30 each day. Everybody is cordially invited and expected and ladies are especially welcome. 220-t1

Eva Tanguay has a new costume made of Lincoln pennies. It probably isn't worth more than 15 or 20 cents at that.

Single Comb White Leghorns
180 Egg Strain
Stock and Eggs for Sale
F. REEVES
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Cut Flowers **Floral Designs**
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Free delivery of flowers in Charleroi. Belle Vernon and Monessen.
Bell Phone **Charleroi, Pa**

Worked Two Ways.

He had sung several times during the evening, and his friends had murmured words of praise, then escaped as quickly as possible.

But as he was going homeward he managed to catch one of these selfsame friends, and he insisted on a truthful opinion.

"You see," he explained, "I don't quite know how to take Miss Cuteon's comment on my performances tonight."

"No—really! Why—what did she say?" asked the friend hopefully.

"Well, she said she'd heard Caruso several times and thought his voice was excellent, but she was quite certain that mine was better still."

Classified Ads.

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Apply to Mrs. Geo. Wagner, 415 McKean avenue. 220-tf

WANTED—Girl at 325 Washington avenue. 219tf

WANTED—Salesman to travel. Waterproof Rain Coat Co., 603 Chestnut Street, Philadelphia, Pa. 218-t6

WANTED—Girl to assist in housework. Call "M" Mail office. 218-tf

FOR RENT—Flat of 5 rooms, suitable for office purposes. Inquire, Greenberg Bros. 220-tf

FOR RENT—Five room house with acre of ground. Reasonable rent. Inquire Mrs. Harriet Tuman, Charleroi, Pa. 220-t3p

FOR SALE—Fresh cow and calf. Inquire 703 Shady avenue. 217t4p

FOR SALE—Two light spring wagons in good condition. Inquire of Frank Riva. 209-tf

FOR RENT OR SALE—Electric, and hand power Suction Cleaners. D. N. Hall. 210-t12

FOR SALE—Three Philo Chicken Coops. Inquire 115 Fallowfield avenue. 211-tf

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OFFICIAL COUNT SHOWS NO CHANGE IN COUNTY

Ralph Allison, of Washington, Leads Republican Ticket

MATHEWS RUNS HIGH

Gains Easy Victory Over Robert K. Aiken--Post High Man With Democrats

The official count of the vote at the primary election last Saturday has been completed at Washington, with no change in results from the announcement of the unofficial count. Following is the result of the Republican and Democratic vote. Those marked with a star are the candidates who received the nomination in the county:

Congress.

*Matthews	3,542
Aiken	2,878

Matthews over Aiken, 664.

Assembly.

*Allison	4,296
*Walker	3,728
*Feeney	3,306
Carson	2,981
Donaldson	2,717
Johnson	1,563

Allison over Carson, 1,315.
Walker over Carson, 747.
Feeney over Carson 325.

National Delegate.

Cunningham, James	3,097
Davidson	2,509
Eagleson	2,675
Underwood	2,655
Cunningham, John	1,607

Cunningham over Eagleson 422.
Underwood over Davidson 20.
Eagleson over Davidson 166.

Alternate National Delegates

McKinley	3,479
Zahniser	3,343
Hawkins	2,763
Baldwin	2,738

McKinley over Hawkins 716.
Zahniser over Hawkins 580.
Hawkins over Baldwin 25.

State Delegate.

*Courson	3,200
*Huston	2,987
*Moffitt	2,949
*Miller	2,907
*Landefeld	2,885
*Colvin	2,785
Beazell	2,754
Donnan	2,699
Cooper	2,688
Edwards	2,456
Crooks	2,332
Lincoln	2,007
Yarnall	1,767
Morgan	1,406
Pollock	599
Irvin	492

Courson over Beazell 446.
Huston over Beazell 233.
Moffitt over Beazell 195.
Miller over Beazell 153.
Landefeld over Beazell 131.
Colvin over Beazell 31.

OFFICIAL DEMOCRATIC VOTE

Congress.

Lacock	1,250

Continued on third page.

Saturday Night Dance.

Might Auditorium. Social dance 8 o'clock. Wheeler's. 218-tf

After Easter Opening at Spidell's Millinery Parlors on Thursday and Friday 403 McKean avenue. 218-t4

Railroad Must Pay

Judge McIlvaine Orders Judgment at Once in Sum of $22,500 Due County

Judge McIlvaine has sustained a former adjudication in the matter of exceptions in the case of Washington county against the Pennsylvania Railroad company. He directs that the railroad company pay the sum of $22,500, the amount embodied in the former judgment at once. The suit was over the use of a road leading to the old river bridge at Monongahela.

TO START IN FULL

River Shipping Workings to Increase Capacity Monday

INSPECTOR WARNS MEN

Running about half capacity today river shipping coal mines along the Monongahela valley are making arrangements to start work in full as nearly as posible on Monday morning. Railroad shipping mines are not being started to their fullest capacity, it is stated. Practically the entire stock of coal shipped by river has been used up by manufacturers in the Pittsburg district and Southern users, but those receiving coal by rail have yet a good stock on hand. Among the workings which will make an effort to resume in full Monday are practically all the Monongahela River Consolidated Coal and Coke company's mines, including the Fayette City, Redstone, Little Washington, Alice, Eclipse, Chamouni, Crescent, Tremont and Apollo. Of the Pittsburg Coal company the Arnold No. 2 will resume and the Naomi mine of the Noami Coal company will start in full.

Mine Inspector F. W. Cunningham of the twenty-first district has warned the miners to be careful in starting work in the mines, which have been suspended since the first of April.

Accidents, Mr. Cunningham states are more likely to happen at a mine which is resuming after a few weeks' shutdown than at one which has been operating steadily. Accidents will not likely happen from the gas, but from loosened roofs falling.

Supreme Orator Here.

Col J. M. Evans, supreme orator for the Protective Home Circle is in town today and will address the members of the local circles on fraternal insurance in P. H. C. Hall at 8:30 p. m. The colonel is a gifted orator and is high authority on fraternal orders and always has something good to tell. Members are requested to be present.

DANCING SCHOOL

AT DONORA

Monday night, April 22. Wheeler's Orchestra. 218-t5

TRY TO INTEREST OLIVER IN LOCKS

Coal Men Visit Junior Senator and Several Representatives From Pennsylvania in Regard to Monongahela River Improvements

An effort to interest Senator Geo. T. Oliver in the improvement of Locks No. 4 and 6 in the Monongahela river was made by J. W. Daugherty and John C. Neff, the latter of the Crucible Steel company, at Washington, D. C. Thursday. Messrs Daugherty and Neff called on Senator Oliver and several of the Western Pennsylvania representatives. A survey of Lock No. 4 has been about completed, an appropriation for the work being contained in this year's bill, together with an appropriation for the survey of Lock No. 6

The locks which are of more or less antiquated design, are not built to well accomodate the large steel barges which the Crucible and other companies shipping coal down the Monongahela plan to put into use. The big lock at Lock No. 4 will accomodate the big barges, but the smaller lock cannot be used for them, being too short.

It is the desire of shippers to have the locks reconstructed by the government at an estimated cost, it is stated of $580,000. However, this would not be enough to entirely rebuild both locks. Friends of the project are now working to have an amendment made to the rivers and harbors bill now before the Senate Commerce Committee.

LOCAL PEOPLE ON CARPATHIA

Party Was on Way Across Ocean When Titanic Survivors Were Picked Up

On the Carpathia which carried the survivors of the sunken Titanic to New York, were five Charleroi people and two Monongahela men. They were all on their way to Italy having purchased two tickets from Councilman Frank Riva, the local steamship agent. The Charleroi voyagers were Vincent Alfiere, his wife and son Manuel and a child of Baptist Meli, of McKean avenue. Friends of the local people sent telegrams to them Thursday, asking them concerning the health of Mrs. Alfiere. When they left Charleroi she felt a trifle nervous about the long voyage, and nearly backed out of taking the trip at all.

The Carpathia was outward bound and turned back to rescue the passengers in the lifeboats of the Titanic when she picked up the wireless signals of distress. She will make a new start from New York as soon as possible.

Girl Bitten by Dog.

Bernice Peterson, the eight-year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Peterson of Belle Vernon, has been in the Mercy Hospital at Pittsburg for a week taking Pasteur treatment. She was bitten by a dog thought to be mad. The head of the dog has been sent away for examination.

Odd Fellows to Attend Service.

All Odd Fellows residing in Charleroi and members of sister lodges are cordially invited to attend divine servic at the Baptist church on Sunday, April 21 at 11 o'clock. The members will meet at the hall on the corner of Fifth street and Washington avenue at 10:30 sharp and march in a body to the church.

BOY OBJECTS TO BEING PUNISHED

Dunlevy Youth Said to Have Given Battle to Two School Teachers

As the result of an attempt to force obedience Miss Anna Miller and an associate teacher, Miss Anna McLain, had an exciting set-to with Nelson Courtley a 16-year-old pupil of the Dunlevy schools. The affair happened Wednesday but it is stated the teachers have not yet recovered from the nervous strain, and all bear marks of the encounter.

Miss Miller could not manage the boy it is stated and called Miss McLain to aid her. The latter used a broom, it is stated, but the boy wrenched it from her. Miss McLain grappled with him and both, it is said, rolled down a flight of stairs into the school yard. Regaining their feet both squared off and it is said Miss McLain did effective work until the boy's father appeared on the scene.

Miss McLain's father, Joseph McLain, manager of the Valley Supply Company at Allenport is a member of the school board. School was suspended nearly all afternoon on account of the contest.

The affair has now been settled it is stated and the boy is back in school.

LINDSAY CAPTAIN OF BAPTIST TEAM

At a meeting Thursday evening of the Baptist Church league team at the store of Riggs and Stech, Roy Lindsay, the shortstop of last season's team was elected captain. Plans were laid for the coming season. Carroll E. Cummings is acting manager until another election can be held.

MRS. LUCIEN P. SMITH TELLS OF BIG DISASTER

Relates Terrible Tale of Titanic Affair--Her Husband is Lost

PICTURES ISMAY'S ACT

Widowed Woman Says He Pushed Aside Women and Children to Save Himself

That Lucien P. Smith of Uniontown and Morgantown went down on the Titanic last Monday morning and that his bride of three months is safe in New York was confirmed by long distance telephone by long distance telephone from Miss Jean Snyder talking for Jas. S. Smith a brother of Lucien P. Smith, at the Waldorf-Astoria Hotel to Alex Chisholm, Jr., a friend of Mr. Smith at the Uniontown Herald office early this morning. Mr. Smith was probably the only person who lost his life that was known in Charleroi.

A story of tender love and devotion for his beautiful wife was that told of Lucien P. Smith by his young widow last night when the Carpathia docked at the Cunard pier in New York and Mrs. Smith was met by her relatives and friends and taken to the Waldorf-Astoria.

Mrs. Smith told of her husband putting her into a lifeboat after the vessel had been wrecked. The young wife was sleeping in her cabin and Lucien went down and brought her to the deck. The young woman had forgotten a treasured ring that her husband had given her shortly before their marriage on February 7, last and the husband went below to the cabin and secured it.

He put it on his wife's finger, kissed her goodbye telling her that he would join her in another lifeboat as soon as the women and children had been put off. He placed his wife in a lifeboat and called goodbye as it left the Titanic.

Mrs. Smith told of the trip on the Carpathia to New York. She said that Bruce Ismay, the managing director of the White Star line had saved himself in preference to the women and children that were still on the decks when his lifeboat left the ill-fated vessel. She said that on the Carpathia Ismay had secured the best quarters and had two doctors attending him, while 26 newly made widows, including herself, slept on the floor of the deck.

The young widow said that very few men in the first cabin were saved but several steerage passengers, both men and women, were saved in preferance to the first cabin passengers.

She told of the great liner breaking in two when it went on the iceberg. At the time Captain Smith was giving a dinner and thre was no one on the bridge of the vessel. When Captain Smith saw that the Titanic was about to sink he shot himself.

Mrs. Lucient Smith is getting along as well as could be expected.

Will Give Supper.

High School pupils are preparing to give a chicken and waffle supper at the First Christian church Saturday. The purpose will be to raise funds for the High School Athletic Association.

An elegant array of millinery at Spidell's after Easter Opening on Thursday and Friday, 403 McKean avenue. 218-t4

See Opener at Pittsburg

Charleroi Folks Witness Pirates Take Measure of St. Louis Cardinals.

At the opening game of the National Legaue season in Pittsburg Thursday Charleroi was well represented. Among those from here who attended the game were: M. T. Crowley, Dr. J. Clive Enos, H. L. Swickey, George Myford, Abe Levinson, Chas. Irons, Jack Mathias, W. R. Gaut, Cleve Mathers, Al Bertsche, D. Murphy, "Dick" Simon, John Higgins, William Monroe and John Hagenaugh. Pittsburg won the game from St. Louis by the score of 4 to 3, largely through Hendrick's pitching.

IN WRONG LATITUDE

Alfred P. Stewart Says Titanic Was Much too Far North

TELLS OF COLUMBIA

To the Editor of the Charleroi Mail:

Sir—Quite a number of people are advancing ideas as to the cause of the frightful and terrible result of the collision of the liner Titantic with an iceberg. To my way of thinking it can be attributed to but two causes—one criminal carlessness and downright negligence of two officers, one on the bridge and one in the engine room, and the other the insane and damnable desire to break a record, when the conditions were altogether unfavorable.

Let me cite an instance in which the conditions were parallel, but the result very different. Some years ago the U. S. Government built two cruisers named the Minneapolis and the Columbia. They were peculiar in construction, and had the unique feature of having three engines and three propellars. They were called commerce destroyers, and had greater speed than any vessel afloat at that time. The Columbia was attached to the European squadron, and on her being ordered to the United States, took a picked crew from all the other vessels, had her bunkers filled with choice Welsh coal and started from Southampton for New York "to establish a record."

As it was and is now customary to take the temperature of the sea water every 30 minutes, the Columbia had been at sea about 48 hours, traveling at a 23 knot gait, when a perceptible drop in sea water temperature took place. This was immediately reported to the bridge. Another test was made, and a further drop noticed. Word was telegraphed to the engine room to reduce the revolution. This was done several times until the ship was steaming at 10 knots per hour. It was disappointing to the ships' company because

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Or in Class 2, pay 2c the 1st week, 4c the 2d week, 6c the 3d week, and so on and we will mail you a check two weeks before Christmas for $13.32 with interest at 3 per cent.

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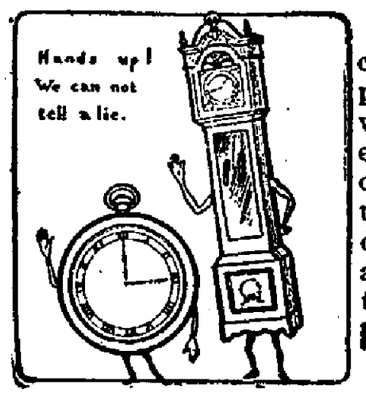

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April 19 in American History.

1721—Roger Sherman, "signer" for Connecticut, born; died 1793.

1775—Beginning of American Revolution; battles at Lexington and Concord, Mass., between British regulars and American patriots.

1813—Benjamin Rush, "signer" for Pennsylvania, died; born 1745.

1861—Baltimore rioters attacked the Sixth Massachusetts and Twenty-seventh Pennsylvania militia marching to Washington.

1898—Cuban intervention resolution passed congress; ultimatum to Spain.

1906—Fires continued in San Francisco; many buildings dynamited.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

(From noon today to noon tomorrow.) Sun sets 6:44. rises 5:13. Evening stars: Mars, Saturn. Morning stars: Venus, Jupiter, Mercury.

THE ETERNAL FITNESS.

According to the philosophy of Erasmus Wilson, the "Quiet Observer" of the Pittsburg Gazette Times, who recently lectured in Charleroi on "The Eternal Fitness of Things," the compensation to be found in the dreadful disaster of the wreck of the ocean liner Totanic is the awakening of the public conscience to the necessity of conserving human life. To a lesser degree the horrors of the Titanic disaster are repeated around us every day where human life is sacrificed upon the alter of carelessness, negligence and the greed of gain. Now it is an insufficiently ballasted railroad track and that causes a rail to spread and ditch a train, which is most often a freight, with only an engineer, a fireman or a brakeman killed. Perhaps it is a narrow entry way into a mine where some poor fellow gets rolled against the rib by a trip of mine cars. Again it may be a projecting nut on a revolving shaft collar, or an unprotected gearing that catches the clothes of a passing workman and grinds him to death. Or last of all it may be an unsanitary workshop which, if it escapes the horrors of fire, slowly saps the life of the workers in order that production may be increased and cheapened.

These horros occur every day in detail—one here, one there, but the aggregate of victims in the course of a year throughout the United States far exceeds in number the victims of the Titanic disaster. This does not take account of big disasters like a mine explosion, a railroad wreck, or a factory fire. These latter cause momentary thills, but are soon forgotten by the public. They have been sufficient however to cause a persistent effort to be made by a devoted few to cause the safe-guarding of dangerous occupations, and to enact equitable workingmen's compensation laws. That slow progress is made in this direction is realized chiefly by those who are laboring for these reforms, and these alone are the ones who realize how each recurring disaster of magnitude quickens the public conscience and makes the demand for the conservation of human life more imperative.

It requires just such a disaster as this—one that overwhelmed the wealthy and highborn as well as the poor and lowly—to arouse the public to a sense of its responsibility. A great disaster like the wreck of the Titanic shows the cumulative effects of the negligence that is individually in constant operation and the financial and social standing of the victims is the compensation that will work to protect the humble worker and traveler as well as the rich and powerful.

UNPRODUCTIVE WOMEN

In an article on "The Irresponsible Woman and the Friendless Child" in the May American Magazine, Ida M. Tarbell says:

"The heaviest burden today on productive America, aside from the burden imposed by a vicious industrial system is that of its non-productive women. They are the most demanding portion of our society. They spend more money than any other group, are more insistent in their cry for amusement, are more resentful of interruptions of their pleasures and excitements, go to greater extremes of indolence and uneasiness.

"The really serious side to the existence of this parasitical group is that great numbers of other women, not free, forced to produce, accept their standards of life. We hear women, usful women, everywhere talking about the desirability of not being obliged to do anything, commiserating women who must work, commiserating those who have heavy household responsibilities, and by the whole gist of their words and acts, influencing those younger and less experienced than themselves to believe that happinss lies in irresponsible living."

ELECTRIC SPARKS

Whenever a man feels tired out he has the patent medicine symptoms, although by others it is called the spring fever.

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Spring depression of spirits is oftentimes caused by the knowledge that the lawn is to be mowed, or carpet is to be beaten.

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While the lack of riches probably kept some of us from going down with the Titanic, there isn't a soul among us who would not tomorrow take the wealth and chances that go along.

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Who is more deserving of a hero medal than the one laughed at some time ago—Marconi, the inventor of the wireless?

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Since last November the weather man has had it easy. During the winter it was usually "continued colder" or simply "colder" and since then it has been mostly "cloudy or rain;" with enough "fair and warmer" thrown in however to make predicting interesting.

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Here, Chuck! Chuch! Chuck!
The hen's a dumpy sort of bird
With dirty feet, but gee!
Cut out the hen and on our word
Where would glad Easter be?
—Houston Post.

Then there's the bird that crows at dawn,
He's something of a booster;
Just think how lonesome the hen would be
If it wasn't for the rooster.
—Scranton Tribune-Republican.

The rooster is the hero, see?
The hen will have to go some;
She'd never lay an egg if he
Were not around to crow some.
—Johnstown Democrat.

PICKED UP IN PASSING

Great minds seem to run in the same channel. When the particulars of the wreck of the Titanic became known in Charleroi—how the liner was sung by ramming an iceberg far up in the northern Atlantic, the question that naturally arose was why do vessels go so far north in crossing the ocean? Landlubbers so far inland as Charleroi are not supposed to know much about nautical matters, but the opinion is advanced by others whose standing in public affairs is such that their utterances command attention. Andrew Carnegie, for instance, has the same opinion as that of the most landlubbers, and the newspapers quote him thusly in a letter to Mayor Gaynor of New York:

"Dear Mayor: What was the Titanic doing up among the ice when she had the whole Atlantic ocean south open and free? This is the root of the matter. Passenger steamships should be compelled to keep far south below the range of icebergs at all seasons. Life boats are secondary to this vital requirement."

Mayor Gaynor replied to Mr. Carnegie as follows:

"Dear Mr. Carnegie: As usual you hit the nail exactly on the head. They had no business up there among the icebergs, and being there they should have stopped. The question of lifeboats is a secondary one. I thank you exceedingly for your generous check of $5,000 for the sufferers."

In Charleroi as elsewhere, the awful catastrophe of the wreck of the ocean line Titanic caused intense interest among all chases, men, women and children. Both the morning and evening editions of the newspapers were eagerly awaited for additional news of the disaster. Thursday evening when a youth who attends a Pittsburg school and goes up and down on the train every day arrived home the first question his mother asked was:

"Did you bring up a Pittsburg evening paper?"

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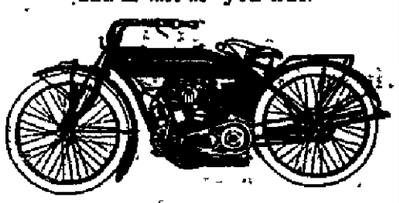

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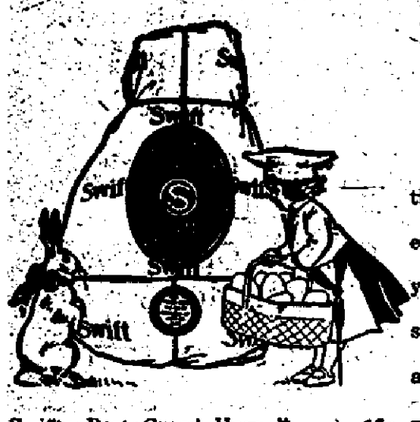

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Round Steak lb	15c	Lamb Roast lb	12 1-2c
Pork Loin lb	16c	Stewing Lamb lb	10c
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In February.

First Father—It must have cost you a lot to send your son to college. Second Father—It did. First Father—And what have you received in return? Second Father—My son.—Cornell Widow.

There Is Hope.

It remained for a lawyer to select the twenty-one most beautiful words in the English language and thereby win a prize. It may occasion some surprise to note that neither "tax" nor "retainer" appears in his list.

Almost A Miracle.

One of the most startling changes ever seen in any man, according to W. B. Holsclaw, Clarendon, Tex., was effected years ago in his brother. "He had such a dreadful cough," he writes, "that all our family thought he was going into consumption, but began to use Dr. King's New Discovery, and was completely cured by ten bottles. Now he is sound and well and weighs 218 pounds. For many years our family has used this wonderful remedy for Coughs and Colds with excellent results." It's quick, safe, reliable and guaranteed. Price 50 cents and $1.00. Trial bottle free at W. F. Hennings' drug store.

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Assembly.

Carson	1,202
Post	1,308
McFarland	1,198

National Delegate.

Bubbett	1,007
Cchleiter	764
Braden	450
McCabe	165
Callaghan	120

Bubbett over Braden 557.
Schleiter over McCabe 599

Alternate Delegate.

Barnum	907
Dickson	685
Walker	497
Hugus	282

Barnum over Hugus 625.
Dickson over McCabe 188.

State Delegate.

Duncan	793
Post	296
Vester	176

Duncan over Post 617.

WINTER CLUB HOLDS ITS WEEKLY DANCE

The Winter Club held its usually successful dance in the Might auditorium Thursday evening, the affair being attended by about 80 couples from Charleroi and other points along the valley. Dancing was from about 8:30 until 1. Miss Ethel Collins, the Pittsburg soprano who was to have sung was unable to attend the dance. Carnations were given. Miss Collins has been engaged for next week's event.

Of Course.

A man in a near-by town fell down the cellar steps the other day with a barrel of apples on top of him. He broke his left leg, his right arm, two ribs, his nose, one finger, cut his scalp, sprained his ankle and put his shoulder out of joint. But he didn't groan or cuss until his wife inquired if it "hurt him." Then he did both.

Old Colliery Closed.

Tranent colliery, Haddingtonshire, from which coal has been taken for nearly 700 years, was closed recently. For many years women went down the mines at Tranent and worked with the men. One or two old women who were formerly engaged in the mines are still living in the district.—London Daily Mail.

Her Fault.

A certain Scotch professor was left a widower in his old age. Not very long after he suddenly announced his intention of marrying again, half apologetically, adding: "I never would have thought of it, if Lizzie hadn't died."—Harper's Weekly.

New Swimming Machine.

Providing a cork jacket, which keeps its wearer upright in the water, with a propeller driven by two cranks, a New Yorker has invented a device which is a variation from most styles of swimming machines.

The Mother of Clubs.

Mrs. Caroline Severance, who is called the mother of clubs, celebrated her 91st birthday recently in her home in Los Angeles. She is quite up to date in every way and laughs at the anti-suffragists. She says she remembers a Boston man telling her that once women were not even allowed to attend lectures. She believes in co-operative housekeeping and she thinks that factories should be outside the limits of cities.

Latest Thing in Clubs.

"Never again!" This is the motto of a novel club recently organized in Trenton, N. J., in which only persons who have previously attempted to commit suicide are entitled to membership. The club began its existence with forty members.

CHILD WAS SICKLY

Mother Says, "I Think Vinol Saved Her Life."

Parents are wise in trying to break up children's coughs quickly, but they are not always as wise as this mother in the means they adopt.

Mrs. Willis Van Inwegon, of Bloomingburg, N. Y., says: "My small girl had bronchitis all winter till the doctor said it was chronic and we were afraid we should lose her. I commenced giving her Vinol three times a day and now she is growing fine. I think Vinol saved her life."

Children like to take our delicious tonic, Vinol, because it is pleasant. And it is much better for them than so-called "cough medicines" for they have no strengthening power, while Vinol builds up the body and makes the blood rich. Give Vinol to your delicate rundown children (and take it yourself if you are not as strong as you should be) and you will be delighted with the results. If you are not we give back your money. Piper Bros., Druggists, Charleroi, Pa.

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Seats reserved at 9 o'clock, Monday at Turner Hall for Monday night Show, and Tuesday at 9 o'clock for Tuesday night show.

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Owing to the fact that the Courts of Washington County have not renewed our selling privileges for the coming year, we are compelled between now and the 30th day of April to dispose of a very large stock of High Grade Liquors, Table Wines, Brandies, Champagnes and Cordials, both imported and domestic, and in order to have them move rapidly or to dispose of as many as possible during the short length of time, we offer them at the following remarkable prices. And for your convenience we quote the selling price today, also our former price.

Imported Port Wine sold at $1.25,	Now	$. 80	
Imported Sherry sold at....1.25	Now	.80	
Imported White Rhine sold at. 1.00	Now	.70	
Imported Medoc Claret sold at..1.00	Now	.70	
Imported Marsala sold at....1.00	Now	.60	
Imported Chinata "Sour"..... .75	Now	.50	
Domestic Dr. Kugels Black Berry 1.00	Now	.60	
Domestic Household Black Berry 1.25	Now	.80	
Domestic California Marsala. 1.00	Now	.60	
Domestic Hock Wine..... .65	Now	.35	
Domestic Claret ..... .65	Now	.35	
Horke Vino (Bitter Wine) 1.00	Now	.60	
Imported Champagne Cognac Brandy 17 years old 2.00	Now	1.45	
Imported Dulac Co. Cognac....1.75	Now	1.25	
Imported Paul Gordet Brandy..1.75	Now	1.25	
Imported Lucien Focould..... 1.65	Now	1.15	
Domestic Jules Leroux Cognac..1,25	Now	.75	
Domestic Jules Martin.....1.25	Now	.75	
Domestic Dupont 1.25	Now	.75	
Imported Gordon Gin.....1.35	Now	1.00	
Imported Original John DeKuyper Gin 2.00	Now	1.45	
Imported Booths Tom Gin.....1.35	Now	1.00	
Imported Fields Sloe Gin.....1.75	Now	1.20	
Domestic Anchor Sloe Gin.....1.00	Now	.60	
Domestic Woods Old Tom.....1.00	Now	.60	
Domestic Burkes Old Tom.....1.00	Now	.60	
Domestic Holland Process "Large Black Bottles"...1.75	Now	1.15	
Imported Vermouth 1.25	Now	.75	
Domestic Prime Quality Vermouth 1.00	Now	.55	
Domestic Superior Quality.....1.00	Now	.65	
Imported Guilka Kummel.....1.75	Now	1.15	
Imported Manigold Kummel...1.75	Now	1.15	
Domestic Gertriede Nordhauser Kummel 1.00	Now	.75	
Domestic Double Distilled Kummel 1.00	Now	.60	
Domestic Manhattan Cocktail "Club Brand".....1.50	Now	1.00	
Domestic Martini Cocktail "Club Brand" 1.50	Now	1.00	
Imported Rum (Rum Negrita) .1.75	Now	1.10	
Imparted Fernet Branco.....1.50	Now	1.35	
Imported Fernet Torino "Direct Importation 1.25	Now	.90	
Imported Amora Felsina.....1.75	Now	1.25	
Imported Ferro China "Besleri".1.50	Now	1.35	
Imported Benedictine 3.00	Now	2.25	
Imported Creme De Menthe ...1.75	Now	1.25	
Imported Absinthe 2.00	Now	1.35	
Domestic Fernet Acqila.....1.00	Now	.65	
Domestic Ferro China Acquila. 1.00	Now	.65	

Domestic Mescalanza	1.00	Now	.75
Domestic Rosolio	1.00	Now	.75
Domestic Amora Felisno.....	1.00	Now	.75
Domestic Creme De Menthe...	1.00	Now	.65
Domestic Rock & Rye.....	1.00	Now	.65
Domestic Orange Bitters.....	1.00	Now	.70
Domestic Cherry and Pepsin..	1.00	Now	.70
Domestic Jamaica Ginger.....	1.00	Now	.65
Domestic Lemon, Rum & Honey	1.00	Now	.65
Domestic Fig Cordial	1.00	Now	.65
Domestic Pine Apple, Honey & Gin	1.00	Now	.65
Domestic Coldburg Bitters....	1.00	Now	.65
Domestic Absinthe	1.50	Now	1.00
Domestic Boonekamp Bitters...	1.25	Now	.75
Domestic Imperial Malt Whiskey	1.00	Now	.65

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Imported Burkes' Irish Whiskeys. 1.75, now $1.15
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Imported Scotch Whiskeys.....1.75	Now	1.15	

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Imported Whiskey 2.25	Now	1.65	
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Imported Bass Ale pints Regular Price		$2.40	

Now $1.95 per Doz.

Imported Bass Ale Nips, regular price $1.40
Now $1.20 per Doz.

Imported Guiness Stout pints, regular price $2.40
Now $1.95 per Doz.

Imported Guiness Stout Nips, regular price $1.40
Now $1.20 per Doz.

Champagne $1.25	Now	.65	

Gold Top
Great Western
Gilt Edge
Great Eastern
Sparkling Burgundy
Sparkling Mozelle

Imported Sparkling pts. Barbero. 1.75	Now	1.00	
Imported Boquet Fils pts.....2.00	Now	1.50	
Imported Sparkling Barbero qts..3.50	Now	2.75	
Bohemian Malt Extract per doz. $1.75	Now	1.50	
California Port, Sherry, Tokay, Black Berry ..... .75	Now	.35	
Ohio and New York Claret ... .75	Now	.35	

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MRS. GOEHRING HOST AT SILVER SOCIAL

Mrs. L. H. Goehring was host at her home on Meadow avenue at a silver social held Thursday evening under the auspices of the Ladies League of the Methodist Episcopal church. About 50 were present. Games and contests were enjoyed throughout the evening. At the lunch serving time, there was a "grand march" each person constituting himself his own waiter. This was a unique and decidedly entertaining feature.

IN WRONG LATITUDE

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they were all interested in the "record breaking run." The word was passed that there was an iceberg in the vicinity. This ship steamed for several hours at this speed before the iceberg hove in sight, the water continually dropping in temperature the nearer the ship approached. The ship immediately changed her course and put south for probably 50 miles this making sure of avoiding any danger and of course giving up the attempt to establish a record.

How easily this could have been done with the Titanic, but no, they wanted to "break a record." The Titanic was traveling at about 24 geographical miles per hour. Has anybody stood and watched an automobile pass them at 24 miles per hours? Then imagine the Titanic with her tremendous length, breadth, and depth, and her enormous weight, 60,000 tons. Let us reduce that to something we are more familiar with. Think of 120,000,000 pounds of man-made material coming in contact with a nature-made obstruction. It is the nearest answer to the fool question, "what would be the result if an irristible force were to strike an immovable object." The bottom of the Atlantic Ocean holds the answer.

Think of the toll that has been demanded and paid by the automobile, the aeroplane, all to establish or beat a record. But the White Star Liner Titanic has established a record at a tremendous sacrifice of human lives, and never equalled before in the world.

It is to be hoped that the "record" established by the leviathian of the sea—the unsinkable ship—will stand for all time to come, a compelling monument to somebody's gross carelessness and criminal negligence all for the sake of "beating or establishing a record."

Alfred P. Stewart.
Formerly Chief Machinist, U. S. Navy.

The chronic grouch even becomes weary of himself sometimes but somehow he can't seem to hit the pace of a good cheerful fellow.

LOCAL MENTION

A marriage license was granted in Pittsburg Thursday to Beny Braun of that city and Miss Katherine Wasserman of Charleroi.

James Jackson and Guy Woodward were in Donora attending a dance.

Attend Spidell's after Easter Opening on Thursday and Friday 403 McKean avenue. 218-t4

Miss Edith Davidson of Uniontown was a visitor with friends Thursday night.

Misses Alice and Margaret Mallabone visited in Pittsburg Thursday evening.

Miss Sylvia Krepps of Allenport underwent a severe operation at the Monessen-Charleroi hospital Thursday.

Dr. J. Z. Dixon of Pittsburg was a visitor Thursday in Charleroi.

Miss Walter S. Harper and daughter, Miss Florence Harper of Meadville are guests at the home of Dr. and Mrs. A. O. Davis of Fallowfield avenue.

Miss Margaret McDermott and Thomas McDermott were in Pittsburg Wednesday evening to witness "Everywoman" at the Alvin Theatre.

County Commissioners Thos. Hill, John A. Berry and A. P. Barnum were in town today on business relative to county affairs.

Misses Velma Carothers and Jessie Everhart were Pittsburg visitors Thursday.

C. J. Mogan and Dennis A. Oates were Pittsburg visitors Thursday evening.

Ed G. Weltner of Uniontown visited his father, C. W. Weltner here today.

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We will be 10 years old next Monday, April 22nd. It is quite different today from our opening day of 10 years ago. We started business with a $400.00 capital, which by the way was entirely wiped out after 6 months of business. Our assets today are over $13,000.00. At the beginning we, 25 of us, comprised the entire membership. There are now 564 of us banded together for our own good. In 1902, our monthly receipts barely amounted to $1,000.00. Today they average over $1,000.00 a week.

On the 27th of This Month We Will Open a Branch Store in Monessen With a Membership of 91

The past 10 years have been spent in preparatory work. We have now perfected our organization to meet future developments, that will insure the growth and spreading of Co-operative ideas. We thank you for your past favors, and hope with a full knowledge of the principles of Co-operation to include our entire community in one big association, each helping himself while helping his neighbor.

We invite you to visit our store next Monday.
Useful souvenirs to each customer.

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Mi-o-na stomach tablets are small and easily swallowed. They are sold by Pipere Bros and druggists everywhere for 50 cents a box. They are put in a neat metal box that can conveniently be carried in the vest pocket. They are especially recommended for nervousness, sleeplessness, bad dreams, constipation, dizzines and biliousness.

Will Sell Books

On Saturday afternoon the Plate Glass Association, which maintains a library and amusement room in the Masonic building will dispose of its holdings by auction. The library of many hundred valuable volumes will be disposed of, together with the fixtures. Much of the world's best literature is contained in the library. Billiard tables and fixtures of the amusement room are to be sold.

FIENDISH PAIN OF PILES

Done Away With By a Peasant Internal Medicine.

All the worst tortures of human life, roled into one, can hardy compare with the fiendish pain of piles. The victim eagerly buys anything that will bring a moment's ease, but the trouble usually comes back. Get HEM-ROID—a scientific inward pile cure that frees the stagnant blood and dries up the piles.

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In Dull finished and Bright Black, and in Tan Lerthers.
You will miss a great opportunity if you don't get your feet into some of these, before the lines are broken

Tomorrow Then; They're Yours

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WANTED—Salesman to travel. Waterproof Rain Coat Co., 608 Chestnut Street, Philadelphia, Pa. 218-t6

WANTED—Girl to assist in housework. Call "M" Mail office. 218-tf

FOR RENT—Three roomed house 206 Prospect avenue. Inquire Blythe Real Estate Agency. 221-t2p

FOR RENT—Flat of 5 rooms, suitable for office purposes. Inquire, Greenberg Bros. 220-tf

FOR RENT—Five room house with acre of ground. Reasonable rent. Inquire Mrs. Harriet Tuman, Charleroi, Pa. 220-t3p

FOR SALE—Two light spring wagons in good condition. Inquire of Frank Riva. 209-tf

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RADICAL MEASURES FOR THE NEXT LEGISLATURE

Believed Roosevelt Convention Will Outline New Policies

PUBLIC UTILITIES BILL

Gov. Tener's Progressive Measure Has Good Chance For Passage

After the first surprise and shock of the political landslide that struck Pennsylvania is over, people are beginning to realize and discuss the full import of the changes that this result has made imminent to the State Republican organization that has for so long a period dominated and controlled the politics of the State. For the first time in many years the United States Senators of the State and State organization will not control the coming State convention, which will elect a new State committee and State chairman, and as the convention will be controlled by Roosevelt delegates nominated and elected on a so-called progressive platform, the twelve delegates at large to be elected by the State convention will in all likelihood be free from the domination of the so-called State machine, as well as the State officials to be nominated at the State convention. The State platform adopted by the Roosevelt convention is expected to bristle with all sorts of progressive policies which will read rather strangely in a Pennsylvania Republican plaform. It is quite likely that Governor Tener's public utilities bill, with its teeth all in place and newly sharpened, which the Senate in the last session of the Legislature so ruthlessly slaughtered, will occupy a prominent place in the reforms demanded.

It is also more than likely that the initiative, referendum and recall—the real thing—will be another reform demanded. This is all the more probable, when it is remembered that former Senator Flinn of Allegheny county was the first agitator for this feature in Pennsylvania. Years ago, during his last days in the Senate, Senator Flinn introduced an initiative and referendum bill which was regarded by his colleagues in the nature of a comic opera stunt. Time, however, has made wonderous changes and the initiative, referendum and recall are undoubtedly nearer to achievement in Pennsylvania than was the direct primary law at the beginning of Governor Pennypacker's term.

Another measure that is likely to be introduced and fought for at the coming session of the Legislature, is a Senatorial preference primary law. This is a law where the people vote their preference for United States Senator, which furnishes a cue for Legislative action when it comes time for the election of a Senator. Although such a law is not binding on the Legislature, few such bodies risk voting in defiance of the expressed will of the people of the State. Several of the States have such a law and it is said to work well.

It is stated that the next Legislature will be the most independent body that has been elected in years, but it is hard to tell just what legislation can or cannot be enacted. It is possible that the forces may be so divided that it will be impossible to enact anything of importance and that the coming session may be barren of results.

To Meet in Charleroi

Independent Telephone Association Arranges July Convention

Arrangements were made by the Western Pennsylvania Independent Telephone Association at a meeting this week to hold the next quarterly meeting in Charleroi in July. The membership of the association numbers 80 or more, and consists of independent telephone operators of Western Pennsylvania companies. The Charleroi Telephone company holds membership in the society.

PROGRAM ARRANGED

Mock Commencement to be Feature of High School Reception

WILL GIVE DIPLOMAS

Among the features at the second annual High School reception to be held Friday evening at School Hall will be a mock commencement, in which High School pupils, members of the faculty and of the school board will participate. Graduates for this mock commencement will number eight.

Orations will be said, thesis read and in fact the entire program for a commencement will be carried out. Diplomas will be presented by W. D. Pollock, president of the School Board.

In addition the to mock commencement there will be a good program rendered. Songs will be sung by the High School chorus, and under the direction of Prof. I. T. Daniel, the High School orchestra will give renditions.

NOTED MINISTER TO SPEAK HERE FRIDAY

Rev. Geo. C. F. Bratenhal, cannon of St. Alban's cathedral, Washington, D. C., will speak at St. Mary's Episcopal church Friday evening at 8 p. m. Dr. Bratenhal is a very gifted clergyman and will speak on the subject of "The Church's Mission." Delegations from St. Paul's church, Monongahela, and Trinity Mission, Monessen, will be in attendance. A short service will precede the address. All are most cordially invited to hear this gifted clergyman.

Notice.

Notice is hereby given that my wife having left my bed and board without just cause or reason, I will not be responsible for any debts contracted for by her in my name.

D. E. Morgan,
Lock No. 4, Pa.

220-1tw-3tp

WORK STARTED ON NEW TROLLEY LINE

Monongahela People Interested in Movement to Get Route Constructed Through to the County Seat

Today a force of men began work on the Monongahela end of the construction of the proposed Monongahela, Ellsworth and Washington street railway company, aline which is planned to connect the river section of Washington county with the countl seat and a line backed to a large extent by Monongahela capital.

The work started at Fourth street in Monongahela, and while those in charge refused to give out any information locally, it is reported that construction will be pushed with all possible speed, although the supposition in many quarters is that the work has been startel to merely hold the franchise. Engineer James Bryan of Pittsburg, it is stated, has finished his surveys as far as Van Voorhis.

The officers of the company back of the proposed trolley road are Dr. Geo. H. Murphy of Monongahela, president; George Stevens, Monessen, vice president; Gerald O'Leary, Monongahela, secretary and treasurer. The directors are Dr. Murphy, J. C. Corrin, James Crall, Charles A. Bentley and Gerald O'Leary, all of Monongahela. The corporation will be controlled by Joseph Lytle, president of the First National bank of Monongahela; Dr. H. T. Billick of Monongahela and James P. Mulvihill of Pittsburg. The company on Wednesday filed bond with the city of Monongahela to have the road completed within two years.

The proposed route extends in Monongahela along Fourth street to Third street, to Hillman street, out and Ellsworth and on to Washington.

HIGHER COURT HEARS APPEAL

Suit Against Trolley Company by Monessen People Reaches Superior Court

CAR AND AUTO COLLIDE

Among the cases argued this week before the superior court at Pittsburg were three appeals of the Webster, Monessen, Belle Vernon and Fayette City Street Railway company defendants, in actions of trespass brought by J. H. Farquhar, who was awarded $1,437.57 for the death of his wife; Arthur Renny, who was awarded $678 for personal injuries, and H. N. Odbert, who was given $715 for personal injuries.

The parties plaintiff were riding in Odbert's automobile at East Charleroi November 22, 1908, when the machine was struck at the crossing there by a street car.

Dr. Farquhar's wife was killed and the others were painfully injured. The appeal was taken from a judgment in common pleas court Westmoreland county.

Baptist Team to Meet.

A meeting of the Baptist team of the Charleroi Church league will be held tonight at the store of Riggs & Stech. The purpose of the meeting will be to consider the matter of a team for the approaching season.

Saturday Night Dance.

Might Auditorium. Social dance 8 o'clock. Wheeler's. 218-tf

After Easter Opening at Spidell's Millinery Parlors on Thursday and Friday 403 McKean avenue. 218-t4

MARRIED IN CUMBERLAND

Charleroi Young Man and Monessen Young Woman Steal March on Friends

TO LIVE AT MONESSEN

Slipping away to Cumberland, Md., Wednesday, Henry Raymond Lowstutter, a well known young man of Charleroi and Miss Estelle Mary Brautegam of Monessen, were married. They will likely return the latter part of this week and for the present reside in Monessen.

Miss Brautegam had been home from Mt. de Sailles Heights Academy at Parkersburg, W. Va., to visit her parents for several days and Wednesday was leaving ostensibly to return to school. Instead she went to McKeesport where she was met by Mr. Lowstutter. They went to Cumberland and were wedded.

Both Mr. Lowstutter and his bride are popular among the young set. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lowstutter of Fallowfield avenue. He is employed at Monessen. His bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Brautegam of the Foster House, Monessen.

Entertains Fancy Work Club

Mrs. John O. Watson entertained the Home Workers' fancy work club at her home in North Charleroi Wednesday afternoon. The afternoon was spent pleasantly. About 15 were present. The home was decorated with greens and potted plants. Luncheon was served.

R. C. Mountsier and E. F. Krahmer are away on a trout fishing expedition in Center county.

MINERS IN PITTSBURG DISTRICT BACK AT WORK

Committees Are Named

President H. J. Booth of Church League Appoints Corps of Aides

President H. J. Booth of the Charleroi Church Baseball league has appointed his committee for the ensuing season. They are:

Rules—Dr. J. W. Manon. Fred Peiper, W. D. Pollock.

Grounds—Capt J. K. Hein, John Cornell, D. C. Whitlatch.

Schedule—John K. Rickey, Carl M. Wertz, Dr. G. H. Smith.

Finance—C. S. McKean, R. M. Oller, C. E. Cummings.

IS CASE OF SUICIDE

Coroner Heffran Finds Kosick Shot Gartley Then Himself

VICTIM IN HOSPITAL

That John Kosick shot himself, after seriously wounding William Gartley, the Clyde Coal company superintendent at Fredericktown April 5, has been determined by Coroner James T. Heffran, who held an inquest Tuesday. At first Coroner Heffran had not intended to hold on inquest into the case but friends of Kosick insisted that there was a possibility that some one else than Kosick had done the shooting which led to his death. This was disproved at the corner's inquest, when it was ascertained to a certainty that Kosick met death at his own hand. There was no evidence that Gartley or any one else than Kosick had done any shooting.

Superintendent Gartley is still in the hospital, though able to sit up.

HOLD EVANGELISTIC SERVICES THIS WEEK

Evangelistic meetings are being held at the Metropolitan Baptist church this week. Rev. Johnson, the pastor is condcting the services which thus far have been very successful. A choir of twelve, conducted by the pastor, with Mrs. Daisy Bush as his assistant, renders special gospel music each evening. There has been one candidate for baptism. The meetings will continue throughout the week, closing on Sunday afternoon.

Notice.

The Winter Club will hold its regular weekly dance in the Might auditorium tonight. Carnations will be given. Jenkins-Wheeler orchestra. Select. 220-t1

DANCING SCHOOL
AT DONORA
Monday night, April 22. Wheeler's Orchestra. 218-t5

Mines Along the Valley Start up Today in Part Capacity

CONVENTION AT AN END

Last Day's Session Featured by Turbulence Among Element Opposing Feehan

In accordance with agreements reached in an international referendum a large number of miners in this section went back to work this morning at various river mines, ending a suspension which had lasted since the first of April. Practically all the River Combine's mines began operation and the Jones and Laughlin mines and various other mines started up. Most of them are running only to the extent of about 60 per cent of their entire capacity.

Among the mines which started are the Crescent the Chamouni and the Vigilant, near California, of the River Combine and the Vesta No. 4 of the Jones and Laughlin company. The Catsburg mine of the River Coal combine at Monongahela is running, as well as the Tremont, of the same company near Belle Vernon.

Announcement was made of the settlement by President Francis Feehan before the Pittsburg district convention completed its work Wednesday. Eighty per cent of the miners who voted favored returning to work, he told the delegates.

The convention adjourned sine die, although the same element that raised some disturbance the day before protested. After President Feehan had adjourned the convention over 106 of the 170 or 180 delegates present reassembled the convention as "a meeting" and framed an appeal to International President John P. White to come at once and take charge of affairs in the Pittsburg district.

Some delegates declared their local unions will cease paying per capita tax to the district officials until some action is taken.

The protest against Feehan, sent to President White says:

President Feehan has repeatedly refused to preside over the convention in a fair and impartial manner; he has refused to obey the rules governing this convention; he has considered motions carried when it was evident they were not carried; he has refused to entertain motions when made in accordance with our rules; he has refused to entertain any appeals from his decisions; he adjourned the convention today against the protest of the majority vote of the delegates and before all the business of the convention has been transacted.

Some of the members of the committee were: William Hynes, Fayette City; Thomas Ray, Carnegie; Marshall Merraccini, Elizabeth, secretary and E. S. McCullough, Monongahela, chairman. William McKey of Grove City, retiring member of the district executive board, who was chairman of the meeting, signed it as did also Hamuel Pangbourne of Courtney, the secretary. The delegates adjourned to await word from the international officials.

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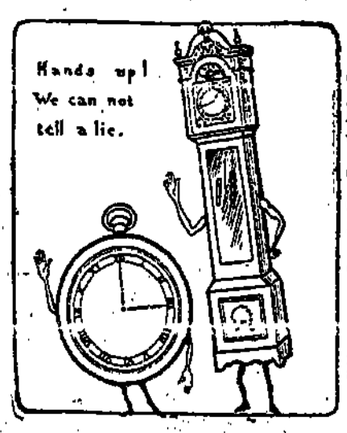

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April 18 In American History.

1775—Paul Revere's famous ride out of Boston to arouse the patriots.

1847—Battle of Cerro Gordo, Mexico. The Mexican forces, led by Santa Anna, were defeated by the United States army under General Winfield Scott.

1862—Federal bombardment of the Confederate forts at the mouth of the Mississippi river below New Orleans was begun by Commodore Farragut's warships.

1906—Earthquake at San Francisco and vicinity. Many buildings in the city reduced to ruins, which later took fire.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

(From noon today to noon tomorrow.) Sun sets 6:43, rises 5:15. Evening stars: Mars, Saturn. Morning stars: Venus, Jupiter, Mercury.

MUST PLAY FAIR.

No matter who controls the Republican State convention at Harrisburg, the action must be of such a nature as to play fair with the people. The changes involved by the election of delegates not in accord with the existing State organization cannot be used for political reprisals, neither can advantage of the situation be taken by other politicians to intrench themselves into power and advance their own politicial intrests. If the result of the election was a rebuke to the present organization as some people construe it, any attempt to take advantage of the situation for ulterior purposes cannot fail to meet with a speedy reversal of the verdict rendered at the primary election last Saturday.

Upon the action of the delegates at the State convention must depend the future welfare of the Republican party in the State. If the new element that has ridden into power at the last election is really progressive as it professes, it will promulgate and indorse policies for the welfare and interest of the whole people; if it devotes its power to trying to embarrass the present organization and in installing other politicians into power, its efforts will be worse than useless, and its power will be short lived. The convention must make good the ante-election declaration of the delegates who compose the majority.

ANOTHER ADVANTAGE.

In the proprosed extension of the Pittsburg & Charleroi trolley line from Roscoe to California the commercial advantage has been the chief element considered. The connection of California with Charleroi by cheap and rapid transportation is a decided advantage to both localities as well as to the intermediate points, but there is another advantage to both localities that is as far reaching as the commercial advantage. This is the increased educational facilities the condition would afford to the community.

By the extension of the line to California increased facilities will be afforded to students to attend the State Normal school there. As conditions now are many students ride up and down on the train from nearby points. The trolley line will afford more convenient and cheaper transportation, which would be an incentive for an increased attendance at the normal school from this community. This is alone ample and sufficient argument for the extension, even if there were no commercial advantages. The extension would be a decided acquisition to the prestige of the Monongahela valley.

ELECTRIC SPARKS

While a woman who talks an unusually lot about people cannot hope to become popular, she can at least get even.

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The man who was brought up at a hotel, whatever else his sins may be, never complains his wife's cooking is not up to the standard of his mother's.

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Because a man talks day and night about his principles is no sign he has wonderful patriotism. Instead he probably has insomnia.

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According to the evidences, some smart children seem to spend their entire existence thinking up things for their father to go down town and repeat.

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When a man says "I'll show you" in a tone that sounds as though he means what he says, it is time to pay attention.

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We think how much better we could use money than the fellow who has it. Fortunately for our supreme belief in our self importance the other fellow has it.

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Even if women do get to vote, there should be a law made preventing fashion designers from making election costumes too expensive.

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Some men worry for fear they will meet the complacent individual who pounds them on the back and tells them not to worry.

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The Pirates are throwing their hat into the ring at home today.

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The fellow who always mentions first a project is always ready to blame someone else with its instigation, when objections are raised.

PICKED UP IN PASSING

"I'll never forget my first experience with icebergs," said a middle-aged traveling man at the railroad station Monday, when the subject of the disaster of the ocean liner Titanic was under discussion. "Years ago, when but a lad of 16, I shipped as a green hand on a fishing schooner at Halifax, where I was born and raised. Our voyage was along the Newfoundland Banks, in the iceberg zone. The first night I was on watch in the danger zone the captain cautioned me to keep a sharp lookout for icebergs ahead, and to give the alarm instantly at the first sight of one.

"The night was dark and somewhat hazy, but the stars shone brilliantly overhead. Along in the middle of the night I spied a large white mass ahead, which glistened and sparkled in the starlight. It was not a towering height, but seemed to be on a level with the surface of the ocean.

"Instantly I sang out, 'Iceberg ahead!'

"The captain, who always seemed to sleep with one eye open, was on deck in a jiffy, but while I was looking straight at the iceberg it all at once disappeared, and by the time the captain reached by side nothing was in sight. I was much chagrined, and afraid the captain would think I had been asleep. I began to explain that I certainly saw something white and glistening on the water, but the captain, cut me short and said:

" 'No harm done. What you say was only a school of mackerel. They often come to the surface in that manner, and disappear just as quickly.'

"I saw plenty of icebergs later, but I always remember how that school of mackerel looked that night in the starlight out in mid-ocean."

"The finding of an infant on the doorstep of a Fourth street residence a couple of weeks ago was the subject of much interest and speculation on the part of a wee maiden in that neighborhood.

"Oh, Mrs——," she exclaimed to a neighbor. "What do you think. The stork left a little baby on somebody's porch on Fourth street. "My papa says he's a lazy old stork if he can't go any farther than the porch."

SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of a writ of Fieri Facias, issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Washington County, and to me directed on which inquisition and exemption are waived, there will be exposed at public sale, at the Sheriff's Sales Room in the Court House of the Borough of Washington, Washington County, Pa., Saturday, the eleventh day of May, 1912, at 1:30 o'clock p. m., of said day the following described Real Estate, viz:

All the right, title and interest of the defendant in and to all that certain piece or parcel of land situate in the Borough of Speers, County of Washington, State of Pennsylvania, (also and including an oil tank erected thereon) bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a post on the easterly side of Speers Street, at the corner of Lot here described and land formerly owned by S. C. Speers, running North 31 degrees 05 minutes East 162 feet 5 in. to low water mark of the Monongahela river, thence by low water mark 50 feet 9 inches, thence South 34 degrees 05 minutes West, 167 feet 6 inches to Speers Street, thence by Speers Street North 55 degrees 05 minutes West 40 feet to the place of beginning. On which are erected a frame stable and oil tank. Being the same lot conveyed to the said F. E. Beazell, by deed dated October 26th, 1906, and recorded in deed book 347, page 412.

Taken in execution as the property of F. E. Beazell at the suit of Wm. Steel.

Robert G. Lutton,
Sheriff.

Sheriff's Office, Washington, Pa., April 18th, 1912. A-18-25-M-2

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All the right, title and interest of the defendants in and to all that certain parcel of land lying in the town of Charleroi, Washington County, State of Pennsylvania, and described as follows: Lot No. 398 Section "A" lying between Sixth and Seventh Streets, fronting on Shady avenue 50 feet and no inches more or less, and running back 100 feet and no inches to a twenty (20) feet wide alley. Being the same lot of ground which was conveyed to Raymond Moore by The Charleroi Land Company by deed dated September 23, 1902, and by deed of the said Raymond Moore, dated July 7th, 1909, to Alvin E. Young.

Taken in execution as the property of Alvin E. Young and Ivy M. Young with notice to Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Carroll, terre tenants, at the suit of Benjamin Williamson.

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Before Allowing an Operation

Please Read These Two Letters.

The following letter from Mrs. Orville Rock will prove how unwise it is for women to submit to the dangers of a surgical operation when it may be avoided by taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. **She was four weeks in the hospital and came home suffering worse than before.** Then after all that suffering Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound restored her health.

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Paw Paw, Mich.—"Two years ago I suffered very severely with a displacement—I could not be on my feet for a long time. My physician treated me for several months without much relief, and at last sent me to Ann Arbor for an operation. I was there four weeks and came home suffering worse than before. My mother advised me to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and I did. To-day I am well and strong and do all my own housework. I owe my health to Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and advise every woman who is afflicted with any female complaint to try it."—Mrs. ORVILLE ROCK, R. R. No. 5, Paw Paw, Mich.

"THERE NEVER WAS A WORSE CASE."

Rockport, Ind.—"There never was a worse case of women's ills than mine, and I cannot begin to tell you what I suffered. For over two years I was not able to do anything. I was in bed for a month and the doctor said nothing but an operation would cure me. My father suggested Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound; so to please him I took it, and I improved wonderfully, so I am able to travel, ride horseback, take long rides and never feel any ill effects from it. I can only ask other suffering women to give Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a trial before submitting to an operation."—Mrs. MARGARET MEREDITH, R. F. D. No. 3, Rockport, Ind.

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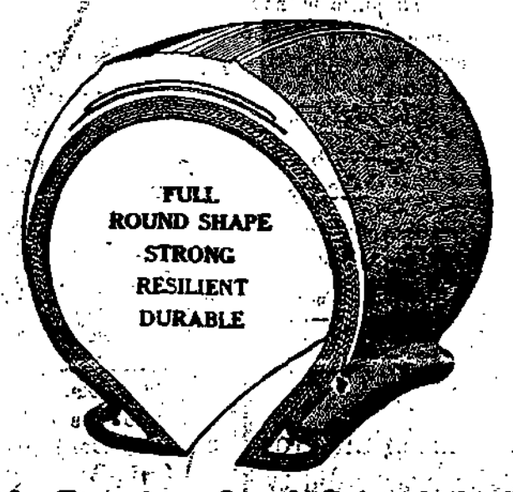

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ELABORATE ARRANGEMENTS HAVE BEEN MADE FOR SUCCESS OF THE KNIGHTS TEMPLAR TOURNOI IN PITTSBURGH

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MOST BRILLIANT MASONIC SOCIAL FUNCTION IN YEARS

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THOUSANDS WILL BE PRESENT

Band and Big Orchestra Will Alternate Playing the Dances; Midnight Banquet to Be Served on Roomy Balcony—Special Car Service After the Reception.

By Joseph N. Mackrell.

Pittsburgh, April 17.—There is nothing in the history of Masonic social events in which Pittsburgh has had a part that will even compare with the Knights Templar tournoi to be held in Exposition hall on Wednesday evening, April 24. The care and attention that has been given this affair by the various committee chairmen and subchairmen and committeemen is indicative of what the results will be.

One of the biggest problems in connection with such events, especially when such great crowds are expected from the suburban sections of Allegheny county and from Washington, Westmoreland, Butler, Fayette, Lawrence, Beaver and from eastern Ohio, is to see that the sir knights and their ladies get home as quickly as possible. In that connection the announcment is made that already arrangements have been made for special train and street car service out of Pittsburgh immediately after 2 o'clock on Thursday morning and if from any of the surrounding towns the demand for tournoi tickets becomes great enough the committee will arrange transportation to and from such towns at the expense of the committee. That announcement is made as strong as is possible and is called to the attention of the sir knights in the counties surrounding Pittsburgh.

Henry L. Dixon is the division commander of the sir knights of western Pennsylvania and he has full charge of the tournoi and the big state conclave which will be held here on May 27, 28 and 29. But at this time all eyes are on the tournoi, every energy is being bent in that direction and the reports bespeak glowing results to follow.

This reception will open the Masonic "season" in western Pennsylvania and it will be followed by great activity in connection with the conclave and the many arrangements that are being made in connection with it. The success of the tournoi, which now seems assured, will have much to do with the great results that are expected from the conclave and from the indications the sir knights will turn out in great numbers next week.

Fred C. Schatz of Ascalon commandery is chairman of the entertainment committee and his committee has been divided among various subchairmen who are working like beavers. In connection with the tournoi this is a most important committee. It works along lines all its own and still must keep in touch with what the other committees are doing.

Benjamin N. McLain, chairman of the decorating committee, and Charles McFall, the vice chairman, are both pastmasters in the art of arranging the decorations for a knights templar gathering. Both have had a great deal of experience in the work and they promise that the tournoi decorations will be the most elaborate, attractive and pleasing of any Masonic gathering held in Pittsburgh. Particularly from an electrical standpoint the men have worked and out of their labors have come some very unique and novel electrical effects.

One of the very big undertakings in connection with an affair of the magnitude of the tournoi is serving the midnight supper in a manner that will be pleasing to the sir knights and also to the committee. To enjoy any repast the partaker must not be crowded, hurried or jostled and in addition should have as pleasant surroundings as possible. Mr. Schatz has given much of his time to this problem and says he has it solved. From the eastern end of the hall the immense sweeping stairway will be used as the entrance to the balcony. Around the balcony rail will be arranged tables with plenty of room for the diners. Four separate crews of waiters will look after the tables—that is, the balcony will be divided into four parts each with its own source of food supply and its waiter captain. After the diner has finished he can leave the balcony and return to the dance floor by the side exits from the balcony and in that way the stairways in the different parts of the big auditorium will each have their separate uses. There will positively be no crowding and there will be enough for all. Nothing has been left undone—there will be physicians in attendance, the transportation facilities were never better for any occasion of the magnitude of this one and all that remains is for the night to roll around and the orchestra and band to start playing. The rest is all arranged.

TO THE PUBLIC

Owing to the fact that the Courts of Washington County have not renewed our selling privileges for the coming year, we are compelled between now and the 30th day of April to dispose of a very large stock of High Grade Liquors, Table Wines, Brandies, Champagnes and Cordials, both imported and domestic, and in order to have them move rapidly or to dispose of as many as possible during the short length of time, we offer them at the following remarkable prices. And for your convenience we quote the selling price today, ~~also our former price.~~

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Imported Chinata "Sour"..... .75	Now	.50
Domestic Dr. Kugels Black Berry 1.00	Now	.60
Domestic Household Black Berry 1.25	Now	.80
Domestic California Marsala. 1.00	Now	.60
Domestic Hock Wine..... .65	Now	.35
Domestic Claret ..... .65	Now	.35
Horke Vino (Bitter Wine) 1.00	Now	.60
Imported Champagne Cognac Brandy 17 years old 2.00	Now	1.45
Imported Dulac Co. Cognac....1.75	Now	1.25
Imported Paul Gordet Brandy..1.75	Now	1.25
Imported Lucien Focould..... 1.65	Now	1.15
Domestic Jules Leroux Cognac..1.25	Now	.75
Domestic Jules Martin.....1.25	Now	.75
Domestic Dupont 1.25	Now	.75
Imported Gordon Gin.....1.35	Now	1.00
Imported Original John DeKuyper Gin 2.00	Now	1.45
Imported Booths Tom Gin.....1.35	Now	1.00
Imported Fields Sloe Gin.....1.75	Now	1.20
Domestic Anchor Sloe Gin.....1.00	Now	.60
Domestic Woods Old Tom.....1.00	Now	.60
Domestic Burkes Old Tom.....1.00	Now	.60
Domestic Holland Process "Large Black Bottles"...1.75	Now	1.15
Imported Vermouth 1.25	Now	.75
Domestic Prime Quality Vermouth 1.00	Now	.55
Domestic Superior Quality.....1.00	Now	.65
Imported Guilka Kummel.....1.75	Now	1.15
Imported Manigold Kummel...1.75	Now	1.15
Domestic Gertriede Nordhauser Kummel 1.00	Now	.75
Domestic Double Distilled Kummel 1.00	Now	.60
Domestic Manhattan Cocktail "Club Brand".....1.50	Now	1.00
Domestic Martini Cocktail "Club Brand" 1.50	Now	1.00
Imported Rum (Rum Negrita).1.75	Now	1.10
Imported Fernet Branco.....1.50	Now	1.35
Imported Fernet Torino "Direct Importation 1.25	Now	.90
Imported Amora Felsina.....1.75	Now	1.25
Imported Ferro China "Besleri" 1.50	Now	1.35
Imported Benedictine 3.00	Now	2.25
Imported Creme De Menthe ...1.75	Now	1.25
Imported Absinthe 2.00	Now	1.35
Domestic Fernet Acqila.....1.00	Now	.65
Domestic Ferro China Acquila. 1.00	Now	.65
Domestic Mescolanza 1.00	Now	.75
Domestic Rosolio 1.00	Now	.75
Domestic Amora Felisno..... 1.00	Now	.75
Domestic Creme De Menthe... 1.00	Now	.65
Domestic Rock & Rye..... 1.00	Now	.65
Domestic Orange Bitters..... 1.00	Now	.70
Domestic Cherry and Pepsin.. 1.00	Now	.70
Domestic Jamaica Ginger..... 1.00	Now	.65
Domestic Lemon, Rum & Honey 1.00	Now	.65
Domestic Fig Cordial 1.00	Now	.65
Domestic Pine Apple, Honey & Gin 1.00	Now	.65
Domestic Coldburg Bitters.... 1.00	Now	.65
Domestic Absinthe 1.50	Now	1.00
Domestic Boonekamp Bitters... 1.25	Now	.75
Domestic Imperial Malt Whiskey 1.00	Now	.65
Imported Irish Whiskey's		$1.25 to $3.00
Imported Burkes' Irish Whiskeys. 1.75, now		$1.15
Bush Mills		
Corbetts		
Imported Scotch Whiskeys.....1.75	Now	1.15
Calendonia		
Black and White		
John Dewar		
Sanderson's Mountain Dew		
Rhoderic Dhu		
Three Feathers		
Scottish Crown		
Wm. Austin		
King William Scotch		
Imported Whiskey 2.25	Now	1.65
Imported Canadian Club 1.50	Now	1.15
Imported Bass Ale pints Regular Price		$2.40
Now $1.95 per Doz.		
Imported Bass Ale Nips, regular price		$1.40
Now $1.20 per Doz.		
Imported Guiness Stout pints, regular price		$2.40
Now $1.95 per Doz.		
Imported Guiness Stout Nips, regular price		$1.40
Now $1.20 per Doz.		
Champagne $1.25	Now	.65
Gold Top		
Great Western		
Gilt Edge		
Great Eastern		
Sparkling Burgundy		
Sparkling Mozelle		
Imported Sparkling pts. Barbero.1.75	Now	1.00
Imported Boquet Fils pts.....2.00	Now	1.50
Imported Sparkling Barbero qts..3.50	Now	2.75
Bohemian Malt Extract per doz. $1.75	Now	1.50
California Port, Sherry, Tokay, Black Berry ..... .75	Now	.35
Ohio and New York Claret .... .75	Now	.35

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Farmers' Sons In University.

Some interesting facts, relating to the occupations of parents of students in the university, are disclosed in the annual report of President Thompson, of Ohio State university, to the governor. In point of numbers the children of farmers lead with 587 enrolled. Second in the list are the merchants, with 158. Then come officers of private corporations and salesmen, with one hundred each. Following these are represented many other occupations.

Something Lacking.

"I don't like my new gown very well," said the young lady. "The material is awfully pretty, and the style is all right, but it needs something to improve the shape of it." "Why," suggested her dearest friend, "don't you let some other girl wear it?"

What Chance Has He?

Johnny—"Grandpa, do lions go to heaven?" Grandpa—"No, Johnny." Johnny—"Well, do ministers?" Grandpa—"Why, of course. Why do you ask?" Johnny—"Well, suppose a lion eats a minister?"—Life.

Cheap Mode of Living.

With no rent to pay, no street car fares or other of the usual unavoidable city expenses to meet, the barge and canal boat men of the Netherlands live possibly the most frugal lives of any of the urban working classes in Europe. They, with their families, exist in the hulls of their craft. The rooms are small, with little ventilation, and necessarily low to enable the boats to pass under the bridges. The decks form the children's playground. Chickens are sometimes kept on the boat and consume the garbage.

Famous English Parish.

In addition to its alien population, bygone Stepney was credited with a large number of the citizens of other towns on account of the current notion that all children born at sea belonged to the parish of Stepney, a notion probably due to the large number of sailors who lived there. Paupers who had been born at sea were gravely sent to Stepney from all parts of the country, and from time to time the law courts had to be called upon to decide against their claims.—London Chronicle.

Black Orpingtons

Winners at Pittsburg, McKeesport and wherever shown.

They Weigh Lay, and Pay

Eggs $1.50 and $3.00 per 15

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Things never look bright to one with "the blues." Ten to one the trouble is a sluggish liver, filling the system with bilious poison, that Dr. King's New Life Pills would expel. Try them. Let the joy of better feelings end "the blues." Best for stomach, liver and kidneys. 25c. Sold by W. F. Hennings.

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Fun, Fun, from the time the curtain goes up until three days after. Your sides will ache for a week with such violent exercise

Two Big Nights

Monday and Tuesday, April 22 and 23

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We can fit the largest girls out in coats, suits, dresses and waists; the smaller ones in coats and dresses

For the misses these rainy days demand Rain Coats; for the children Rain Capes. This demand is not only from the standpoint of health, but from an economical view as well. Bring the girls in and buy what they need.

Coats for Misses, . . .	$6.75 to $20.00
Coats, 6 to 14 years . . .	2.50 to 6.75
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Dresses, 6 to 14 years .	1.00 to 5.50
Rain Coats, Misses . . .	4.00 to 10.00
Rain Capes, 6 to 14 years	2.75

Collars, Jabots and all the latest in Neckwear---necessities for the school girls---in our Notion Department.

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On Spring Footwear

Oxfords, Shoes, Pumps for the Family

Choice of Styles, All Leathers and All Sizes at 'Way Down Prices

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Of Course

Ladies' Tan

Satin, velvet, patent colt and dull finish Button Shoes, all sizes, short vamps, high heels, very classy. Easter footwear up to $6, special at

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Men's Swell Oxfords

In ten, patent colt and gun metal, button or blucher—winning styles, high heels and high toes .Here is a great combination of style and quality, $4 grades, special **$2.69**

Girls' Velvet Shoes

With Straps, also made in patent colt. A great value at 1-2 price, $1.39. Girls Dress Button Shoes in Patent Colt and Gun Metal, also white Cravenettes. Sizes up to 2, worth $2.50, at $1.65.

Two-Strap Pumps.

Pumps and Oxfords, Velvet or patent colt, two strap or blucher. All this season's new lasts. Snaps from $3 lines large assortment at $1.39.

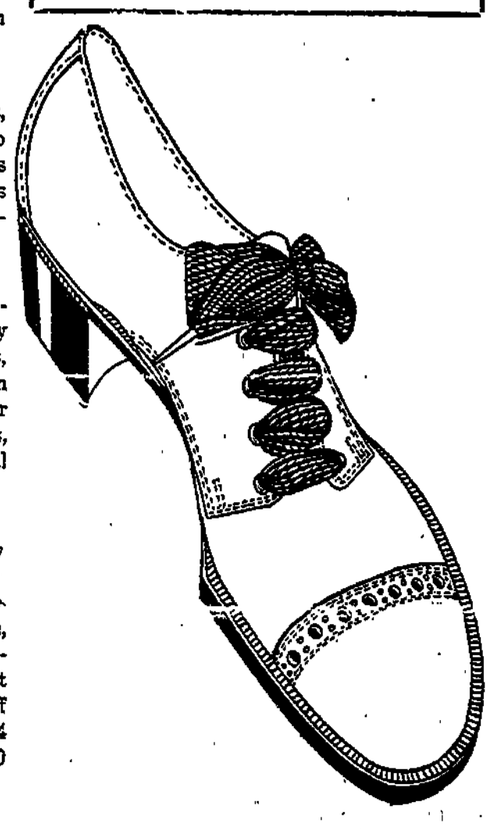
White Cravenette Shoes

Just the thing for Easter Sunday and early Spring, Short vamps, high heels, tipped or plain toes. Medium heels for elderly ladies. All sizes, $4 and $5 values. Special at $3.90 and $2.95.

Pumps & Oxfords

Button or blucher, with and without straps, leather or covered heels, in Tan, Satin, Velvet, Suade, Patent Colt and Gun Metal. Largest assortment in town, snappy new stuff your choice from $3.50, $4 and $5 values, $3.90, $2.90 and $2.45.

Special-Ladies white buckskin shoes, worth $4, our special .. **$2.69**



Velvet Shoes.

Very popular and dressy short vamps and high heels, $3 grades, prices specially $1.95.

Men's Tan Shoes.

Button and blucher, high toes and heels some with fancy tops. Velvet or Corduroy. Strictly bench made and Hand sewed—Other stores ask $5, for sale at $2.90.

Men's Dress Shoes.

Tan, Patent Colt and Gun Metal and Button and Blucher—High or Medium heels—500 pair, comprising all sizes $3 and $4 values at $2.25.

Men's $2.50 & $3 Shoes at $1.59.

Black and tan, not all sizes in each kind, but all sizes in the lot. Just about their actual value at $1.95

Men's Sample Oxfords

650 pairs of them, Tan, Patent Colts and dull calf, button and blucher. $3.00 and $3.50 grades at $1.95

SUGGESTS WAY TO GET FUNDS

"Joe" Mason Thinks it Would be Wise Idea to Sell Baseball Ssason Ticket

To the Editor of the Charleroi Mail:

Sir—It was good news to note in your columns that the Charleroi Church League has been reorganized, and it will surely prove a more intensive success than ever before. Last season the League was put to considerable expense for the improvements on the grounds. To my idea it would prove an excellent business move to start right in by selling church league season tickets—say at $3.00 apiece (as few people can attend more than 30 games) and the money thus collected will prove a substantial working fund for the season. This is only a suggestion and of course President Booth and the officials of the League may have a different plan. However, if the season ticket idea is adopted I hope to be among the first to forward a check to Treasurer C. S. McKean for this worthy cause.

Very Sincerely Yours,
"Joe" Mason.

ENTERTAIN FOR THE L. C. B. A

Twelve Members of Organization Arrange Affair for Other Members

Twelve charter members, with Mrs. Henry Wagner as chairman, entertained the members of Branch No. 782, Ladies Catholic Benovolent Association Wednesday evening in their meeting hall. The event was in honor of the tenth anniversary of the institution of the branch. A large number of members were in attendance. The colors of the order, yellow and white predominated in the decorations. Progressive euchre was played. Favors corresponding with the event were awarded to Mrs. Edward Reardon, Mrs. Arthur Moyard, Mrs. Albert Ludwig, Mrs. William McBride, Mrs. John Mosseau, Mrs. D. Shields, Mrs. James Jackson, Mrs. John Kuth, Mrs. J. Connelly, Mrs. Frank Kubina, Mrs. S. Rock and Mrs. P. Cavenaugh. Delicious refreshments were served.

CHARLEROI GIRL BECOMES BRIDE OF MONESSEN MAN

The marriaeg of Miss Julia Welsh daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Welsh of McKean avenue to Peter Kifer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Mat Kiefer of the Park Hotel, Monessen, took place this morning in St. Jerome's church with a nupital high mass. The double ring service was used. Rev. W. D. Fries performed the ceremony. The bride wore a gown of white messaline satin with fringe trimmings, and carried a beautiful bouquet of lilies tied with satin ribbon. She was attended by Miss Mamie Kifer and John Welsh acted as best man. Miss Kifer was attired in cream voile and carried yellow roses. After the ceremony a wedding breakfast was served at the home of the bride and at 2:30 a bountiful dinner was served at the Park Hotel at Monessen. The wedding was a quet one owing to the illness of the bride's father

Mr. Kifer is employed by the American Express company and holds a responsible position. The couple have a large circle of friends who wish them much happiness on their new journey through life. Mr and Mrs. Kifer will stay at the Park Hotel, Monessen. Quite a number of out of town guests, among whom were Mrs. John Cooper from Pittsburg, Mrs. Harry Welsh from Virginia, Mrs. John Welsh from Fayette City were preesnt.

LIGHTNING SLICES CORNER OFF POST OFFICE, NONE HURT

Slicing a corner off the building and sending bricks and mortar flying in every direction lightning struck the postoffice building at California Wednesday night at about 8:30 o'clock. At the time there were a few persons in the postoffice. They were not shocked. The damage is slight.

Julian Eltinge, the most famous impersonator of women.

Notice how small the Red Cross Shoe makes his foot appear.

This man wears the Red Cross Shoe a woman's shoe, and finds it wonderfully comfortable and easy. Read his reasons.

DEAR SIRS:—

"The Red Cross shoe is the only shoe in the market which entirely fills the bill. I was first charmed by the variety of styles, which covers every possible desire of the wearer. The all-important reason is the fact that I can wear a much smaller shoe in the Red Cross than in any other, which is particularly essential in my case.

"I find the Red Cross shoe perfectly comfortable, wearing even a smaller shoe than one my size would naturally wear. The perfect flexibility of the sole, which so truly bends with your foot, ends all stiff-soled shoes which at every step cause the foot to rub against the sole, until it burns and throbs to an unbearable degree."

Yours very truly,
JULIAN ELTINGE.

You will be just as enthusiastic. Come in and let us show you the latest models in the Red Cross Shoe.

Oxfords $3.50 and $4. High Shoes $4, $4.50 and $5.

Trade Mark

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513 Fallowfield Avenue, Charleroi

LOCAL MENTION

Mrs. A. F. Bray left today for Detroit, Mich.

Mrs. E. F. Krahmer has left for Washington, D. C.

Attend Spidell's after Easter Opening on Thursday and Friday 403 McKean avenue. 218-t4

Miss Isabel Wilson, after a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Wilson of McKean avenue, has returned to school at Beatty.

Timothy Gateley has left for England, where he will visit friends for some weeks.

W. I. Higgins has moved from 109 Fallowfield avenue to 917 Shady avenue, where he will remain for the next few days.

Mrs. J. L. Shannon and her son Arthur are both at the McKeesport hospital suffering from appendicitis. Operations were performed and they are getting along nicely.

AUCTION LOT SALE.

Bellemore Plan, in North Belle Vernon Will be Sold April 26 and 27.

The Valley Land and Improvement company's Bellemore plan of lots, in North Belle Vernon, will be sold at auction, Friday and Saturday, April 26 and 27, commencing at 1:30 p. m. each day. One hundred beautiful home sites will be sold to the highest bidders, on easy terms of payment.

Bellemore is an ideal home spot and the most inviting residential section available about Belle Vernon. It is one square from the trolley line, with 5c fare to Monessen; on paved street; has gas, water, electric light, telephone service, sewers, etc.

Bellemore is the house-renter's and home-seekers' opportunity for deliverance, and the shrewd investor's chance to multiply his dollars. It is up where the air is pure and free from the offensive factory smoke and the unhealthy mists and fogs of the river valley. Surrounded by beautiful homes owned and occupied by respected people.

There will be brass band concerts both afternoons and ladies will be given silver souvenir spoons at 1:30 each day. Everybody is cordially invited and expected and ladies are especially welcome. 220-t1

Eva Tanguay has a new costume made of Lincoln pennies. It probably isn't worth more than 15 or 20 cents at that.

Single Comb White Legborns

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Worked Two Ways.

He had sung several times during the evening, and his friends had murmured words of praise, then escaped as quickly as possible.

But as he was going homeward he managed to catch one of these selfsame friends, and he insisted on a truthful opinion.

"You see," he explained, "I don't quite know how to take Miss Cuteon's comment on my performances tonight."

"No—really! Why—what did she say?" asked the friend hopefully.

"Well, she said she'd heard Caruso several times and thought his voice was excellent, but she was quite certain that mine was better still."

Classified Ads.

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Apply to Mrs. Geo. Wagner, 415 McKean avenue. 220-tf

WANTED—Girl at 325 Washington avenue. 219tf

WANTED—Salesman to travel. Waterproof Rain Coat Co., 608 Chestnut Street, Philadelphia, Pa. 218-t6

WANTED—Girl to assist in housework. Call "M" Mail office. 218-tf

FOR RENT—Flat of 5 rooms, suitable for office purposes. Inquire, Greenberg Bros. 220-tf

FOR RENT—Five room house with acre of ground. Reasonable rent. Inquire Mrs. Harriet Tuman, Charleroi, Pa. 220-t3p

FOR SALE—Fresh cow and calf. Inquire 708 Shady avenue. 217t4p

FOR SALE—Two light spring wagons in good condition. Inquire of Frank Riva. 209-tf

FOR RENT OR SALE—Electric, and hand power Suction Cleaners. D. N. Hall. 210-t12

FOR SALE—Three Philo Chicken Coops. Inquire 115 Fallowfield avenue. 211-tf